

# NEW CHWANG IS NOW DESERTED

Russians Dismantled Forts and Embarked Troops for Retreat to Harin. All Confusion.

## HAVE LEFT DISPUTED TERRITORY

All That Part of Manchuria Which Japan Insisted Should Be Free, Is Now Bereft of Russian Soldiers.

[Special by Scripps-McIntae.]  
St. Petersburg, May 9.—An official report received from Gen. Kuropatkin states that the total losses in the battle of Kiu Leng Cheng, was seventy officers and 2,324 men killed or missing.

**Russians Destroy Railroad**  
Shan Kai Kwan, May 9.—The Russian troops which have retreated from the southern section of the peninsula have destroyed many miles of railway in their movement northward. From Thursday to Saturday the Japanese landed 27,000 men at Chinchau and Pitawo.

**Russians in State of Panic**  
New Chwang, May 9.—The Russian forces in southern Manchuria are declared to be in a state of panic and to be evacuating all of the forts on the western side of the peninsula. It is reported that the Japanese have landed in force at Takushan as originally planned.

**Japan March on New Chwang**  
Tien Tsin, May 9.—A report reaches here from the north that the Japanese have landed a force to the west of New Chwang and that an attack on that place is imminent. Reports of the same kind have been current but this latest one appears more circumstantial and may be true. The landing is said to have been made at Tien Kisu and to have consisted of between 10,000 and 15,000 men. There has been no verification of the report up to this writing.

**New Chwang in a Panic**  
New Chwang, May 9.—Yesterday most of the Russian troops retired to Tashki Chao. During the night the guns were removed from the fort and sent to Liao Yang, where all the Russian forces are being concentrated. A conference was held this afternoon between the civil and military authorities at which they decided to leave on a moment's notice. There is considerable excitement among the Chinese population. The lawless elements are increasing in strength and it is feared an attempt may be made to massacre the foreign residents if they are left unprotected. The natives declare the Japanese have landed at Fu Chan bay and destroyed the railway.

**M. D. Pleske Dies**  
St. Petersburg, May 9.—M. D. Pleske, former Russian minister of finance, died at nine o'clock this morning. He was succeeded by M. De Witte to the financial portfolio.

**Kill a Russian**  
Tiflis, Persia, May 9.—Superintendent Frank of the Russo-Persian printing establishment was assassinated at Meshed this morning.

**Unknown Army**  
London, May 9.—A Seoul correspondent of Reuters wires that a Russian force of unknown strength has crossed the Yalu and entered Korea.

**Approve Plans**  
St. Petersburg, May 9.—At a meeting of the financial council of the empire today the approval of the new hundred and fifty million five percent loan was approved and the emperor gave his consent.

**Later Dispatch**  
London, May 9.—A later report says the Koreans entered Korea, crossing the Yalu far above Wiju and advanced a hundred miles west of Suifu Jin, on May 6. They were accompanied by mounted Manchurian bandits.

**Another Cruiser**  
St. Petersburg, May 9.—Reports are current today that the Russian cruiser Rurik of the Vladivostok squadron has been destroyed. Whether by accident or by a Japanese attack the report does not state.

**Faith in the Fortress**  
St. Petersburg, May 9.—In army and naval circles it is thought that Port Arthur will be able to resist all attacks for six months if necessary. Military authorities have decided to adopt a cloth similar to khaki for

## NATIONS NEAR TROUBLE OVER MESS OF SAUSAGE

Shipment From Chicago to France Came Close to Creating Rupture Between the Republics.

New York, May 9.—Eleven thousand pounds of Chicago sausages, which nearly embroiled France and the United States, and which have traveled back and forth between Bordeaux and this port, will come up on appeal for a new trial of a suit to recover \$1,182.

The sausages were sold in 1899 by Libby, McNeill & Libby of Chicago to E. A. Willard as "11,000 pounds of microscopically inspected and dry enough for export, unsmoked farmers' sausages," which sausages were afterward further warranted to be not too fat for the purposes, for which they were intended.

Negotiable bills of lading were issued on the consignment, and William James of the Produce Exchange,

summer clothing for the army.

### Russians Flee New Chwang

Shanghai, May 9.—The Japanese captured Daini Friday. This is the port on which Russia spent \$20,000,000 in the hope of making it the great commercial center of the Orient. It is forty miles from Port Arthur on the east coast of the Liao-Tong peninsula.

### Evacuate Newchwang.

Passengers arriving at Cho Foo on the steamer Petarch from Newchwang say that when they left Newchwang the Russians had commenced to evacuate the city. Some guns had been taken from the forts and many troops had already gone. In other respects Newchwang was quiet. The passengers understood before their departure that the Japanese had cut the railway, but they learned no particulars.

### Dismantle Forts.

The Russians have dismantled the forts, loaded the railway on trains and commandeered all possible means of transportation for troops to the north. They will not step at Mukden, but will rush on to Harbin, 300 miles farther from the Japanese vanguard, and will establish there a new base, thus practically abandoning all that part of Manchuria from which the Japanese urged before the war that they should withdraw.

**Kuropatkin at Mukden.**  
Already Gen. Kuropatkin, convinced that he cannot check the invading army swarming against him from the Yalu and the Liao-Tong peninsula, has withdrawn the general staff from Liao-Tong to Mukden. He is now convinced that he cannot hold the country and, it is reported, is preparing to concentrate his strength at Harbin before more disasters overtake him.

Heavy firing has been heard in the direction of Kai Chuan, where Japanese troops have been seen recently.

**Victory for Japanese.**  
It is reported that there has been severe fighting at Feng-Wang-Cheng, in which the Japanese were victorious. They took many prisoners.

The Russians are retreating toward Hailu, thirty-two miles east by north of New-Chwang, and are evacuating the western side of the Liao-Tong peninsula.

The Japanese landed 10,000 men at Kin-Chau bay last Thursday and Saturday, 10,000 at Fon-Chay bay and 7,000 at Pezewo. They occupied the towns of Wa-Fung-Tien and Pu-Lan-Tien and destroyed several miles of the railroad.

**Port Arthur Is Isolated.**  
The isolation of Port Arthur is complete. Sixteen Japanese warships protected the landing of troops at Kin-Chau bay, directing a sweeping fire over the isthmus before the soldiers disembarked. Seventy-five Russians who were wounded in this fighting were brought on the last train to reach there.

Refugees from New-Chwang are returning there armed to resist brigands, who are said to be across the river near Yin-Kow, waiting an opportunity to enter New-Chwang and pillage between the evacuation of the Russians and the entrance of the Japanese.

The refugees have urgently requested that a second gunboat be sent to New-Chwang, the British consul having already requested the presence of one gunboat.

It is believed that Viceroy Alexieff and Grand Duke Boris are still in Port Arthur.

Advanced to within on them nearly the face value. The sausages were shipped to Bordeaux. There the health officers refused them admission. The captain of the steamer appealed to the American consul, and the appeal was laid before the State Department at Washington, but diplomacy failed to provide relief. Back came the sausages to New York.

Mr. James declined to have anything to do with them, and sued the Chicago packers.

On the trial in the city court last February the jury found for Mr. James, and the Chicago packers took an appeal. The chances are that the "sausage war" will continue in the courts for some time.

**Student Shoots Woman.**  
Murphysboro, Ill., May 9.—Mrs. Hamilton Cox, wife of a saloon man, was shot and instantly killed by Hance Cleland, a high school student. Mrs. Cox entered the rear of Cleland's yard, and mistaking her for a burglar, he fired. The coroner's jury exonerated Cleland.





## THE REAL THINGS ARE THE UNSEEN

MAN EVER FIGHTS LOSING BATTLE AGAINST THEM.

REV. R. C. DENISON PREACHES

On the Omnipotence of the Shadow World—Finds Lesson in Shakespeare's Tragedy Richard III.

"In this very practical world it is the things we can see and grasp that we seem to think the most of," said Rev. Robert C. Denison in his sermon on "The Human Soul and the Unseen World" at the First Congregational church last evening. "To acquire those things which we can see and grasp seems to be the motto. I was surprised to be told in the house of a friend not long ago that a man who is living and thinking tonight had said: 'What do I know about God? Has anything ever seen him? When God comes within my vision I will be interested.'"

Unseen the Most Powerful. "Just such things are thought and said. Yet, friends, the real things are the unseen and they are the most powerful. You had better not match your strength against them. If you were small and weak you would hesitate to go out upon the highway and with insulting words strike a brawny, vigorous man. Yet you had far better do that than to breathe out a word against divine love, and mercy, and justice, and the many unseen things. The great tragedy of Richard III in which Shakespeare pictures the contest between a man whose wages against the unseen power of souls and God, carries for us a moral and a lesson. In the beginning Richard stands before us the solitary, central figure. Henry VI is out of the way, the war is over, and the crown is on the victor's brow.

The Discontented Monarch. "Yet Richard III is not content. He broods over his deformity. In the days of war the lurchback has been as good as another but in times of peace he sees himself a deformed misshapen thing—unfit to be a courtier and find favor in a lady's eyes, destined to ridicule and laughter. Convinced that there is no place for him in the world as he finds it, he seeks his soliloquy with this resolve: 'I am determined to prove a villain.' And so he matches himself against conscience, truth, and justice—God. He will advance against all the unseen powers. Two terrible mistakes have led to this decision which is to prove his undoing. He has counted his own disadvantages—saying to himself: 'If I only had that man's health and that woman's beauty.' To do that is to twist life crooked. 'Think not of what thou hast not, but of what thou hast,' says to wise soul of Marcus Aurelius. So this king, having determined to prove a villain, prepares to do those things which his own better nature tells him not to do. Impulses to Waywardness.

"Yet as we look at him we may wonder if this monarch, black as were his subsequent deeds, was so far removed from other men. Do we not all often act upon the same impulses? The young man who, coveting the wealth and social enjoyments of others which seem to be beyond his reach abandons good habits to stay out late nights and burn his candle at both ends—is he not saying in his heart: 'I am determined to prove a villain?' And when a man yields to the temptation to turn a shrill trick in business, does he not then and there consciously resolve to rebel against God? Of course this king steeped his hands in blood. But what we do is the same in principle, if not in degree.

Swift Course to Doom. "As the body of King Henry VI whom he has killed is brought in Anne follows among the mourners. And as she curses the murderer he bows and cringes and flatters her. He drops upon his knee, bares his bosom, and swearing falsely that he slew for love of her, bids her plunge the sword into his heart. And she yields to him, sleek and flattery and passions him. Next we see him sending two murderers to the tower to kill his brother, Clarence, who trusts him. Then comes the killing of the little prince, sons of his brother, Edward VI. So he goes on in his career, determined to match his strength against God's mercy, justice, truth, and love.

Vengeance of Shadows. "He mocks God's religion and arranges that in the scene wherein the populace is to entreat him to accept the crown, he shall appear between two clergymen, carrying in his hand a book of prayer. Swiftly follows the climax in which Shakespeare pictures to us how little strength a man who opposed to the unseen powers. There is a rebellion of the nobles and while Richard sleeps in his tent the ghosts of his murdered victims come to torture his dreams. He leaps from his couch in terror and then, seeking to reassure and fortify himself exclaims: 'Oh coward conscience—it is now midnight—what do I fear—myself?' Those shadows have struck more terror into his heart than the substance of 10,000 soldiers. The soul of puny man writhes in the grasp of the unseen power which he has violated. Shadows—mightier than tornadoes and tidal waves are the powers

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## CONSPIRACY IN INSURANCE RATES

This is the Latest Move Made to Bolster Host's Position in the State.

The Northwestern National Fire Insurance Company of Milwaukee has made complaint to commissioner Host and there is a combination or trust of many of the large fire underwriting corporations of the world, conspiring to raise the rates of fire insurance in the state of Wisconsin. The Milwaukee company prays that the commissioner will make an investigation of the facts and take action against the alleged combination, for the purpose of enforcing the law of Wisconsin which prevent or intends to prevent the combination of fire insurance companies to mutually raise rates. The Northwestern National makes the complaint primarily to the state, according to attorneys furnished the state commissioner, are threatened and injured by the organization of companies which the Milwaukee company alleges have entered into a conspiracy to push the rates.

Commissioner Host has also received a number of complaining letters from individuals in various parts of the state, complaining of substantially the same evils as charged by the Milwaukee company, and he will investigate the matter and after due conference with the attorney general will take such vigorous steps as the investigation seems to demand. The Northwestern-National charges that a individual organization of fire insurance managers in Chicago, known as the Western Union, the members of which are general agents in western managers of several American and foreign fire insurance companies, has set out to defeat the Wisconsin anti-insurance trust law, section 194B of the statutes 1898. The charge states that this Chicago organization has formed what is known as the Wisconsin Field club, with headquarters in Milwaukee. A list of companies represented by the agents in the Milwaukee organization is given, including 63 of the leading companies of the world.

The Northwestern-National complains to the commission that the Milwaukee organization of agents, the so-called Wisconsin Field Club, appoints a rater or agent to execute the orders received from Chicago. This agent makes threats, it is alleged in the letter of complaint, against the agents outside of the legal trust that unless the local agents combine with him to force up the rates he will cut rates in their business districts so as to ruin their business. These threats are charged as being made against all the independent companies. The Milwaukee company complaining, claims that it is the duty of the commissioner in the interest of the insuring public of Wisconsin, to arrest J. W. Lancaster, who is alleged to be the agent of the supposed trust or conspiracy, and if possible break up any combination that may be found to exist in violation of the laws of Wisconsin. The Northwestern-National of Milwaukee, together with the communication of complaint furnishes the commissioner with a number of affidavits from various parts of the state, in which agents outside of the alleged conspiracy make oath that they have been threatened by the man Lancaster in behalf of the Wisconsin Field Club. These affidavits come from agents and individuals at Plainfield, Mazomanie, Weyauwega and Oconomowoc. Complaints have also been received from Beloit and other places.

Secretary of War Taft will be the guest of Senator Spooner and the Wisconsin chapter of the Psi Upsilon. Greek letter fraternity this week during the national convention of the national fraternity in Madison. Secretary of War Taft joined the fraternity in his college days and maintains still an enthusiastic interest in the affairs and welfare of the secret society. Senator Spooner is also a member and it was through the offices of the Wisconsin statesman in the upper branch of congress that the secretary of war determined to take the time to come to the gathering in Madison. Senator Spooner will spend only a short time in Wisconsin and will shortly return east to Washington, then west again to the national convention in Chicago and then to his estate in New Hampshire where he will spend the summer for the benefit of the health of Mrs. Spooner.

The Wisconsin chapter of the Psi Upsilon fraternity is known as the Badger Greek letter society of the Badger state institution. Its membership embracing many of the leaders in university society as well as students of high scholastic attainments. The graduates of the university who were in their college days members of this chapter include many names of renown, some of them known the country over. Among these are United States Senator Spooner, ex-Senator and Cabinet member William F. Vilas, ex-Congressman Burr W. Jones and a member of the leading citizens of Madison. The late Dr. Charles Kendall Adams, for ten years president of the University of Wisconsin, was also a member. The national convention will be attended by a large number of distinguished personages. Secretary Taft will make a public speech Thursday night here, his subject being the Philippines, in which islands he served until recently as governor.

Traveling On Special: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Prentice of Worcester, Mass., arrived in the city yesterday to spend a few days here, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. St. John. With a party of friends they are making the trip west to the St. Louis exposition in a special car.

## AMONG THE WORLD'S WORKERS

News Notes From Various Sources of Great Interest to the Workingman.

The scientific and domestic education of women in Russia is perhaps in advance of any other nation. For fifty years of more Russia women have been admitted to diplomas in medicine and surgery, and the greatest facilities have been extended for the employment of them as clerks in Government offices.

During the recent strike of printers in Boston, Mass., the amount of strike benefits in some instances exceeded the wages received during employment, some of the men working for \$12 a week having received \$7 weekly from the International Typographical Union and the same amount from the local organization.

The royal commission on labor disputes created in England last year is making its way. Trade unions and labor organizations in all parts of the country have refused assistance and information of any kind toward making the tribunal of any value, owing to the fact that there are no representatives of organized labor in the commission.

The two organizations of window glass workers, numbering 7,500 men, have been replaced by window glass workers of America, which will take in the membership of the two former organizations and will have headquarters at Cleveland, Ohio. There will be a president and four vice-presidents, the latter to be located at important glass manufacturing centers.

An attempt will be made by the American Federation of Labor to put an end to the mine and other strikes in Colorado. While the Federation is not empowered to bring the strikes to a close, the leaders are of the opinion that they may be able to settle some of the difficulties.

Mississippi has a child labor law, passed recently which provides that children under 12 years of age shall not be employed in any factory, that no child under 14 shall be employed at night, and that no minor can be employed without an affidavit as to his age and the written consent of his parents. Violators of the law are liable to a fine of \$500 and imprisonment for six months.

The Ontario government has decided to send a special commissioner to Europe for the purpose of encouraging only such emigration of mechanics and other workers as are needed in sections of the Dominion. It is proposed to investigate methods employed by the steamship agents on the other side, and to keep the labor people of the continent in touch with what is being done to get workers to come to this country.

## FOURTH PRIZE IS AWARDED TODAY

The Following is the Story Which Was Given Fourth Place in Recent Contest.

The fourth prize story is awarded to Nora H. Donahue of Janesville: "Little Joe's Adventure. 'Mamma, may we not go?' again asked Joe, aged ten, as he slyly took another peach from the dish. 'We won't get lost.' 'Well, yes,' answered Mrs. Daniels. 'You've teased me all afternoon to let you go. Now run on quickly.' Joe spoke slyly, and had been proving all day and had been very much annoyed by the children's teasing for permission to hunting hickory nuts. At first she refused, but now she had consented and she felt glad they would be gone a while to amuse themselves. The boys scampered off and she continued with her work until the last ray was set away to cool. Then she wandered out in the yard for a breath of fresh air. Evening was drawing near for the western skies were already purpling, but the children had not returned. Soon she saw in the distance the long line of the herd willing their homeward way slowly and peacefully. She let down the bars for them to enter, expecting to see the children driving them, but they were not there. She did not worry, though, for she thought they were waiting to ride home with the men and went indoors to prepare supper.

It was not long before she came out again to listen for any sounds of their return. Faint, at first and then gradually nearer and louder, she heard the rattling of the loaded wagons, mingled with the songs of the farm-hands. But she heard no childish voices and when they reached the house, she had no news of the children's whereabouts. However, Mr. Daniels had not yet returned—the boys were probably with him. She re-entered the house again, not at all at peace as to where the children were. But it was not long before he returned—alone! When he heard the startling news, he and the men took the lanterns and hurried toward the woods, calling the children loudly.

The searching party were rewarded soon by receiving an answer. They hurried to the place from whence the sound came and saw a sight, which at other times would have excited a great deal of laughter. George sat on the ground crying, while high up in a tall hickory sat Joe. He could not get down, so one of the men rescued him and he explained his absence from home.

As he climbed the tree, many decaying branches broke off. He managed to get up, anyway, shook the tree and then came the difficult part of descending. George was afraid to go home alone for help, so they had to remain until found.

You may be sure the mother rejoiced when her boys were brought home safe.

To this day Joe's friends remind him of his strange adventure when they pass one of these tall hickories with their branches near the top, but he says he has learned to climb only trees which have plenty of limbs. NOVA H. DONAHUE. R. F. D. No. 6.

## LAST WEEK FULL OF CONVENTIONS

NEW STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE WILL BE CONSERVATIVE.

GOVERNOR'S DESPERATE FIGHT

Every Effort Being Made to Control Convention by Hook or Crook—Outlook Very Bright.

Caucuses have been now held in enough counties to insure beyond doubt the fact that a majority of the congressional delegations in the republican state convention will not be in sympathy with Gov. La Follette or under his domination. The voting strength of at least six of the eleven congressional districts in the convention will be independent of his control.

This will mean that the committee on resolutions in the convention and the state central committee to be constituted under established usage will be independent of the governor, and that both will be made up of men a majority of whom will be beyond his dictation. As is well known, the practice at state conventions of the republican party in Wisconsin is to call caucuses of the delegations of the various congressional districts before the assembling of the convention. The delegation from each congressional district in its caucus selects one of its members for the chairmanship of the delegation, another for the committee on resolutions and another for the committee on permanent organization and in addition selects the members of the state central committee from that district. The selections thus made for the committees on resolutions and permanent organization, as well as the delegation chairmanship, are absolute. The choice of the delegation for the representation of its district on the state central committee is practically absolute, the election of any other men than the choice of the delegations for the committee by the convention being an unheard of breach of party practice.

Will Control Committees. That the conservative delegates to the convention will control the committees on resolutions and permanent organization and the new state central committee is now clear on the face of the returns from the republican caucuses. Five districts out of the eleven is the largest number the governor can command. Those which will be against him are the first, fourth, sixth, eighth, ninth, and tenth. The second, third, fifth, seventh, and eleventh will all probably be for him.

This will mean that the platform reported by the committee on resolutions will be conservative in character, and will not be one drawn and dictated by the governor, as was the case two years ago. If any platform other than the one regularly reported by the committee is adopted it will only be after a contest on the floor, and after the substitution of the latter report. It will also mean that even should the unlikely happen and Gov. La Follette succeed in controlling the management of the campaign, the management of the campaign will be in the hands of a state central committee a majority of whom are conservatives.

The Details. In the table printed below the results of caucuses so far held are given by congressional districts. They show beyond question how the delegations will stand. The totals indicate the number of delegates elected by each branch of the party in the various districts up to date, the number of delegates to be elected in the caucuses still to be held. It will be seen by any one conversant with the situation that in no instance can the majority held by the conservatives be overcome. In the table the disputed counties of Ashland and Eau Claire are listed in the La Follette column, but they do not affect the net result. The table by districts follows:

First District			
La Follette Anti-La Fol.			
Green (12)	12		
Kenosha	12		
Lafayette (11)	21		
Racine	32		
Rock	32		
Walworth	20		
Totals	24		
Second District			
Adams	6		
Columbia	10		
Dane	37		
Green Lake	8		
Jefferson	15		
Marquette	16		
Totals	53		
Third District			
Crawford	9		
Grant	23		
Iowa	13		
Juneau	12		
Sauk	10		
Vernon	18		
Totals	85		
Fourth District			
Milwaukee (city)	11		
Mil. Milw. Co.	5		
Totals	16		
Fifth District			
Milwaukee (city)	35		
Mil. Milw. Co.	10		
Waukesha Co.	2		
Totals	47		
Sixth District			
Dodge	19		
Fond du Lac	25		
Ozaukee	25		
Sheboygan (24)	10		
Washington	69		
Totals	69		
Seventh District			
Buffalo	8		
Clark	15		
Eau Claire	18		
Jackson	11		
La Crosse	10		
Monroe (15)	4		
Pepin	4		
Trempealeau (3)	15		
Totals	62		
Eighth District			
Calumet	7		
Manitowoc	17		
Portage (13)	21		
Waupaca	21		

Waushara	12
Winnebago	30
Totals	33
Ninth District	
Brown (19)	9
Door	9
Kewaunee (7)	8
Marquette	8
Oconto	8
Outagamie (21)	8
Totals	69

Tenth District	
Ashland	12
Flora	2
Forest	2
Iron	5
Langlade	5
Lincoln	5
Marathon	10
Oneida	7
Price	7
Shawano	7
Taylor (6)	7
Vilas	12
Wood	12
Totals	40

Eleventh District	
Barron	12
Bayfield (10)	4
Burnett	4
Chippewa	13
Douglas	18
Dunn (12)	18
Gates (3)	11
Pierce (14)	11
Polk	11
St. Croix (13)	20
Sawyer (3)	3
Washburn	3
Totals	61

The Table	
Counties	Anti-La Fol. La Fol.
Ashland	12
Dane	37
Dodge	19
Eau Claire	18
Jefferson	15
Juneau	12
Kenosha	12
Marquette	6
Lincoln	9
Manitowoc	17
Marathon	19
Rock	32
Vilas	20
Walworth	20
Washington	10
Marquette	9
Winnebago	30
Chippewa	13
Door	9
Sauk	18
Wood	12
Iron	5
Grant	23
Langlade	6
Oconto	11
Burnett	4
Green Lake	8
Forest	2
Polk	11
Adams	6
Ozaukee	5
Douglas	18
Washburn	3
Columbia	10
Fond du Lac	25
Oneida	7
La Crosse	11
Milwaukee	53
Buffalo	8
Iowa	13
Vernon	18
Racine	32
Calumet	7
Baron	12
Clark	15
Crawford	9
Jackson	11
Pepin	4
Richland	10
Shawano	13
Waupaca	21
Waukesha	10
Waushara	12
Totals	439

## Future Caucuses

	No. Delegates	La Follette	Whitehead	Scattering
May 9.				
Brown	11	11		
First dist.	11	11		
Second dist.	8	8		
May 10.				
Sheboygan	10	10		
First dist.	10	10		
Second dist.	14	14		
Trempealeau	13	13		
May 11.				
Monroe	16	16		
May 12.				
Taylor	6	6		
Outagamie	11	11		
First dist.	11	11		
Second dist.	10	10		
Portage	13	13		
Price	7	7		
Green	12	12		
Kewaunee	7	7		
May 13.				
Gates	3	3		
May 14.				
Bayfield	10	5	5	
Dunn	12	10	1	1
La Fayette	11	11		
Pierce	14	7	7	
Sawyer	3	3		
St. Croix	13	13		

First Congressional District. Notice is hereby given that a republican convention of the first congressional district of Wisconsin, will be held on Friday, May 20, 1904, in the city of Monroe, in said district, at twelve o'clock, noon, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress to represent said district, and to elect a district committee. Also to elect two delegates and two alternates to represent the district at the republican national convention to be held in Chicago, June 21, 1904. The following will be the representatives, by delegates, in said convention: Number of votes in said convention will be 111.

	No. votes.	Dele.
Green county	2,396	12
Racine Co., 1st Dist.	3,451	14
Racine Co., 2d Dist.	2,474	10
Rock Co., 1st Dist.	2,868	11
Rock Co., 2d Dist.	2,256	9
Rock Co., 3d Dist.	3,125	12
Kenosha	3,078	12
Lafayette	2,852	11
Walworth	5,102	20

The foregoing is based upon figures furnished by the secretary of state on the vote for William McKinley at the general election held in 1900.

By the Committee, W. W. CHADWICK, Chairman.

## TELEPHONE WIRES NOW STRETCHED TO SHOPIERE

Janesville is Now in Communication With Twenty Farmers Along

The Rock County Telephone Co.'s system has recently been enlarged by the completion of a new line connecting Shopiere with Janesville. Twenty farmers have already taken the phones and more are expected to become subscribers in the near future. The government weather prediction is each day telephoned to the farmers throughout the county over the independent company's line.

Party Postponed: The party that was to have been given on the evening of May 12 under the auspices of Columbus auspices has been postponed until the 24th on account of the New Myers opening ball.

Valentine a Commissioner: Judge B. F. Dunwiddie has appointed Richard Valentine as jury commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late A. O. Wilson.

## Calumet Baking Powder

A wonderful powder of rare merit and unrivaled



Got to raise  
some money  
by next month?

Thinking of selling that lot? THIS MONTH  
is the right time to advertise it. That's  
what's meant by "taking time by the fore-  
lock." *3 Lines 3 Times, 25 Cents.*

## WANT ADS.

WANTED—Collectors. No experience re-  
quired. Apply at Room 418 Hayes Block,  
between 10th and 11th streets.

WANTED—Goodly land for sale. Ad-  
dress Ideal Farming Co., Ann Arbor,  
Mich.

WANTED—A vegetable cook. Apply at once  
at Hotel Myers.

WANTED—A competent girl for general  
housework. Apply to Mrs. Wm. Huger,  
105 South Bluff street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 101  
Caroline street; old phone 4102.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; \$4 per  
week. Inquire at 101 East street.

WANTED—Competent girl for general house-  
work. Inquire at 101 East street.

WANTED—Man to cook and serve meals at  
the Hotel Club. Married man preferred.  
Must be experienced and clean. Good pay-  
ment to right party. Inquire of J. P. Baker,  
secretary.

WANTED—Three dining room girls at once.  
Also girls for general housework. Mrs.  
E. M. McCarthy, 214 W. Milwaukee street.

WANTED—A competent girl for general  
housework; good wages. Inquire at 21  
Milwaukee avenue. Mrs. A. C. Pond.

WANTED—A few more painters at 50 Wall St.  
U. S. Rogers, new phone 951.

WANTED—20 lbs. clean white wiping rags  
at Gazette press rooms.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A steam heated, modern flat,  
in Waverly Plaza. P. L. Blumstein, agent.

FOR RENT—8 room house, at 105 Washington  
street. Inquire at 174 Washington street,  
S. Spohn.

FOR RENT—A tenant house on a farm 3 1/2  
miles from town. Plenty of work and good  
wages for right kind of a man. Inquire of F. J.  
McGee, 421 Main.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with modern  
conveniences, within three blocks of Myers  
House. Inquire of Gazette.

FOR RENT—New modern five-room flat,  
in house to loan on real estate. Inquire at  
811 North Main.

FOR RENT—Pasture for cows. Plenty of  
shade and water. Inquire at 34 Huger Ave.,  
new phone 091.

FOR RENT—Flat over Holmstrom's drug-  
store. Bath and city water. Inquire at  
Holmstrom's drugstore.

FOR RENT—Neat 3 room ground floor flat in  
city center, furnished or not as desired.  
201 S. Main st., cor. 5th and 6th.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—50 acre farm. Inquire of E. H. Hain-  
s, at the conference store, South Main  
street next to library, Jansville, Wis.

FOR SALE—Choice young plum trees at 25c  
each. All stock delivered inside city limits.  
Chas. T. Heddes, Mineral Point avenue.

FOR SALE—Choice seedling red raspberry  
bushes, very hardy, will winter without pro-  
tection; \$25 per hundred. Chas. T. Heddes,  
both phones.

FOR SALE—Old papers for shelves and for  
laying under carpets. Five cents a bunch, at  
Gazette office.

FOR SALE—A limited number of hand made  
silk hats, with the very low price of \$12.  
J. H. Murray, North Main street.

FOR SALE—A Baranin—Two 9-foot solid  
walnut tables. Can be used for showing  
goods or as counters. Address Table, Gazette.

FOR SALE—Chester Boat and boat house, in  
first class condition. Inquire of Frank  
Gosnell, 271 Prospect avenue.

FOR SALE—8 milch cows, 7 calves, two brood  
sows soon to farrow. Phillips farm, 42  
miles east of Jansville. E. M. Staplin.

FOR SALE—A good stock stove at \$5.00. Also  
a barn for rent. Inquire at 258 S. Main St.

FOR SALE—A second hand American Jewell  
cushion sewing machine. P. S. Peterson,  
No. 11 Maple Court.

FOR SALE—Three burner "Quick Meal" gas  
office stove, in good condition. 129 Pearl St.

FOR SALE, at a bargain—Good business,  
E. conference store and soda fountain, on  
corner of poor health. Fred O'Connell, Jans-  
ville, Wis.

FOR SALE—New Visible type writer and cul-  
lens. Might cost or trade. Make your offer  
for. L. R. Treat.

FOR SALE, at a bargain—Eight-room house  
on Jackson street, one of the best renting  
properties in the city. Inquire of E. N. Fred-  
erick. Telephone 710.

FOR SALE—Two-seated surrey, practically  
as good as new. Also a good top buggy.  
Make an offer. 5 Garfield Ave; Telephone 104

## MISCELLANEOUS

MRS. E. McCarthy, 274 W. Milwaukee street,  
will furnish help at short notice. She al-  
ways has places for girls looking for a good  
home. Confectioning and cigars. New phone,  
S. 95, old phone 4102.

STORAGE—For stores, machinery and home-  
hold goods. Building fireproof and thor-  
oughly dry. Households goods hung in, sold  
and exchanged. W. J. Cannon, 153 West Mil-  
waukee St.

LOST—A hand painted button, decorated with  
a blue forget-me-not. Return to Gazette of-  
fice.

STRAYED, from the Hickins farm—A Jersey  
heifer. Return there to B. S. Lobdell.

PAPER HANGING—First class work done by  
Paul Dvorakowski, 401 South Jackson street;  
new phone 912.

WILL pasture horses and cattle in 100-acre  
blue grass pasture; plenty of running  
water. Wilson Lane, Jansville.

## TEACHING AND PIANO TUNING

I have opened a studio at 356 Bayview street,  
and am prepared to teach piano and violin, as  
well as small stringed instruments.

I have a graduation certificate signed by  
Prof. G. H. W. of Waterville, Me. and a  
teacher at the State School for the Blind from  
1888 to 1902. I have had twelve years' expe-  
rience, and fully guarantee my work.

Will also do expert piano tuning.  
Orders left at W. J. Sherer's Drug Store will  
receive prompt attention. Reference, H. R.  
Bliss, of Gazette.

HERBERT W. ADAMS.  
April 18, 1904.

CLAIRVOYANT—Trance Medium—Private  
readings daily on all affairs, free from nine  
a. m. to nine p. m. Call at 401 S. Jackson St.

LOST—A check book on Bower City Bank.  
Return this office or to the above bank.

INDUSTrious men or women for Managers;  
12th and 13th streets paid every week. Old reli-  
able house. Central, Oaxton, Chicago.

## ARE YOU GOING TO THE WORLD'S FAIR?

Call and let us explain what we can do in the  
way of a cheap trip to Southeastern Missouri  
with a LAY OVER at St. Louis, to visit the  
GREAT FAIR. We have 55,000 acres of the  
FINEST FRUIT, TOBACCO, GRAIN and HAY  
Lands in the United States; not Swamp Lands  
but high and dry. Splendid Water, Hardwood  
Timber and level laying. Go to a climate  
where you do not have to eat up in the Winter  
all you can raise in the Summer. Prices range  
from Five to Ten Dollars per Acre.

We have just made arrangements so that we  
can stop over in St. Louis and visit the Fair  
without any extra expense.

Call and let us talk it over with you.

SCOTT & SHERMAN,  
Fire Ins., Real Estate, and Loans, Room 2,  
Phoenix Block, Jansville Wis.

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a barn for rent. Inquire at 258 S. Main St.

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cushion sewing machine. P. S. Peterson,  
No. 11 Maple Court.

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office stove, in good condition. 129 Pearl St.



## DRAWNWORK LINEN AND LACE

The new lincens show many handsome and elaborate effects, and in the  
Illustration the linen is woven with a drawnwork stripe which closely simu-  
lates the handmade designs. The blouse is plain and unlined, sagging  
slightly both front and back into a deep feathered bodice, which  
shows a marked dip in the front. A coarse, but very effective design in  
Cluny lace is posed in cape fashion over the shoulders and used to fash-  
ion the entire sleeve, this having the familiar wrist puff and shallow  
waistband. The skirt is shirred to the band with a single row of stitching,  
and a very bouffant circular dounce is applied knee deep, falling in  
very full folds to the floor. This is covered with a dounce of the lace  
and finished with a broad binding into the lace and made to form a sugges-  
tion of a fringe, adding much to the smartness of the design.

## NO LAND LAWS FOR THE WEST PASSED

Delay by the Last Congress May Be  
Costly to the United States in  
the End.

The committee on public lands of the House refused, by a large major-  
ity to report out the bill repealing  
the Timber and Stone Act. It can  
therefore be said that no land legisla-  
tion has been seriously considered  
that body in spite of the specific  
recommendation of the President to  
repeal the Timber and Stone Act,  
and amend other land laws.

The land-grabbers moreover appear  
to have held their own in Congress  
in spite of the strong efforts that  
have been made to dislodge them  
and the very apparent public senti-  
ment which has demanded some land  
legislation at this session of con-  
gress.

In the first place they have  
charged that there have been no land  
frauds and in the second place that  
those who were adventuring the re-  
peal of the land laws were working  
solely from ulterior motives. Mem-  
bers of Congress from some of the  
western states have squarely assured  
their colleagues in the committee  
hearings that so far as their own par-  
ticular states were concerned there  
have been practically no frauds—  
No frauds so far as they know, and  
most of them have stated that had  
there been any frauds they were in  
a position to know of them.

The laws, of course, might have been  
individual instances abused; such a  
thing is likely to happen with any  
law. An instance of some very curi-  
ous but lamentably incorrect testi-  
mony of this character was that  
given by the two representatives from  
Oregon, Mr. Williamson and Mr.  
Hermann—Binger Hermann, the late  
commissioner of the General Land  
Office. Both of these gentlemen  
pleaded with the committees of the  
House against any proposed repeal of  
the Timber and Stone Act, or the com-  
munication clause of the Homestead Act. These  
laws were all good laws and meant  
the world to Oregon. They meant a  
future great development for that  
section by home making and a cor-  
responding benefit to the nation in  
the increase of honest settlement and  
good citizenship. No frauds were  
committed under them. They were  
admirable acts.

It transpires however, that just  
about this time the federal grand  
jury for the District of Oregon was  
in session in the city of Portland  
and that body had become so im-  
pressed and alarmed at the gross  
and wholesale fraud under these  
land laws in question, as they af-  
fected Oregon that on April 2d its  
members prepared an official recom-  
mendation for the consideration of  
the commission appointed by the  
President to look into the public  
land question.

The report recites that as "mem-  
bers of the Federal Grand Jury for  
the District of Oregon, in session in  
the city of Portland, chosen by lot  
from all portions of the state a  
number of our members being farm-  
ers and stockmen and all of us  
having had wide opportunities for  
observing the operation and effect  
of existing land laws in Oregon and  
other western states," they express  
the belief that all the general public  
land laws should be unconditionally  
repealed. Further, that "the rapid  
absorption of the remaining public  
lands by syndicates representing  
enormous capital whereby the heri-  
tage of the people, so much vaunted  
in the halls of Congress and on the  
platforms, is passing into the hands  
of a few land lords," and that the  
practice amounts to an evil that im-  
perils the peace of society in all the  
public land states.

The report further states that this  
"acquisition through the vicious leg-  
islation enacted from time to time  
intentionally in the interest of the  
honest entryman, but really with the  
effect to make it easy for the dis-  
honest entryman to evade the spirit of

the law in the interest of the syndicate  
by whom he is employed and to  
whom he assigns the land upon mak-  
ing final proof."

The report says of the commu-  
tation clause of the Homestead law,  
"This is another law that masquer-  
ades under the thin disguise of a  
boon to the honest entryman. Our  
deliberations as a Grand Jury have  
been for the most part in relation to  
violations of the land laws and very  
largely concerning abuses of the  
law. If the desert land law, it says  
that it "is and has been used chief-  
ly for the purpose and not for the  
reclamation of the land for agricul-  
tural purposes." The "forest" law  
land law is stated to be "such a flag-  
rant violation of the equities as to  
be indefensible by any rule of jus-  
tice."

The entire report is a particular-  
ized and exhaustive denunciation of  
the public land laws and is signed as  
follows:

James Steel, Foreman, Thomas  
Ryrie, W. L. Singleton, Samuel,  
L. Parrott, W. C. Tweedale, John  
McGee, Albert Feldenhimer, J. K.  
Fisher, R. L. Dunham, R. W. Porter,  
J. W. Ledy, F. C. Barnes, Henry  
Kraus, C. W. Allen, L. J. Hawkins,  
J. N. Hoekersmit, Arthur H. Devers,  
Clark. Grand Jury room, Portland  
Oregon, April 2, 1904.

The greatest tonic, strength-giver,  
blood-producer, life-prolonger ever of-  
fered the sick. Such is Hollister's  
Rocky Mountain Tea. A family bless-  
ing. 35 cents. Smith Drug Co.

If you are pale, no energy, no ambi-  
tion, irritable, cross, ugly, take Hol-  
lister's Rocky Mountain Tea, and see  
it revitalize your whole system. It  
will do the business thoroughly. 35  
cents, tea or tablet. Smith Drug Co.

STANDING OF BASEBALL CLUBS

American League.

Boston ..... Won. Lost. Pct.  
Chicago ..... 12 9 .577  
New York ..... 9 7 .562  
Philadelphia ..... 9 7 .562  
Cleveland ..... 8 8 .500  
Detroit ..... 8 10 .444  
Washington ..... 1 15 .061

National League.

New York ..... Won. Lost. Pct.  
Cincinnati ..... 12 3 .800  
Brooklyn ..... 10 7 .588  
Chicago ..... 9 7 .562  
St. Louis ..... 7 10 .412  
Boston ..... 7 11 .389  
Pittsburgh ..... 6 12 .333  
Philadelphia ..... 4 12 .250

American Association.

St. Paul ..... Won. Lost. Pct.  
Columbus ..... 11 5 .688  
Indianapolis ..... 8 6 .571  
Milwaukee ..... 8 6 .571  
Toledo ..... 6 7 .462  
Minneapolis ..... 6 8 .431  
Louisville ..... 10 10 .500  
Kansas City ..... 11 11 .500

Western League.

Colorado Springs ..... Won. Lost. Pct.  
Denver ..... 10 1 .909  
St. Joseph ..... 12 2 .857  
Omaha ..... 8 5 .615  
Sioux City ..... 4 9 .308  
Des Moines ..... 3 10 .231

Illinois-Iowa League.

Springfield ..... Won. Lost. Pct.  
Hartford ..... 5 2 .714  
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Central League.

Terre Haute ..... Won. Lost. Pct.  
Evansville ..... 8 3 .727  
Dayton ..... 7 4 .636  
South Bend ..... 5 6 .455  
Wheeling ..... 5 6 .455  
Grand Rapids ..... 7 7 .500  
Marion ..... 7 7 .500

Sunday's Games.

National League—Chicago, 2; Boston, 4.  
American League—Chicago, 3; St.  
Louis, 0.

American Association—Milwaukee, 2;  
Louisville, 1. Kansas City, 2; Columbus,  
6. St. Paul, 2; Indianapolis, 7. Minneap-  
olis, 3; Toledo, 3. (4 innings.)

Central League—Dayton, 2; Marion, 8.  
Wheeling, 4; Fort Wayne, 2. Evansville,  
22. Grand Rapids, 1. Terre Haute, 22.  
South Bend, 4.

Western League—Omaha, 3; Des  
Moines, 2. Denver, 3; Sioux City, 2. Colo-  
rado Springs, 5; St. Joseph, 1.

Saturday's Games.

National League—Chicago, 2; Boston, 5.  
Cincinnati, 6; Brooklyn, 4. New York, 2;  
St. Louis, 1. Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburgh, 0.

American League—Chicago, 3; St. Louis,  
7. Cleveland, 5; Detroit, 2. Philadelphia,  
11; Washington, 4. New York, 0; Boston, 2.

Western League—Omaha, 7; Des  
Moines, 3. Denver, 5; Sioux City, 1.

Three-Day League—Dayton, 2;  
Springfield, 3. Bloomington, 4; Dubuque,  
3. (fourteen innings.) Cedar Rapids, 4;  
Decatur, 0.

American Association—Columbus, 3;  
Kansas City, 1. Milwaukee, 7; Louis-  
ville, 6.

Southern League—Atlanta, 6; Birming-  
ham, 0. New Orleans, 1; Memphis, 0.  
Nashville, 11; Montgomery, 0. Little Rock,  
10; Shreveport, 5.

Find Body of Missing Woman.  
Keokuk, Iowa, May 9.—The body of  
Miss Cara Marsh of Warsaw, Ill., was  
found floating in the Mississippi  
opposite Canton, Mo. Miss Marsh was  
a daughter of the late Judge J. W.  
Marsh, and was a niece of Congress-  
man Marsh of Illinois.

Mrs. Jansushek in Home.  
Saratoga, N. Y., May 9.—Miss Jan-  
ushek, the actress, has gone to the  
Actors' Fund home at West New  
Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y., where  
she will probably remain the balance  
of her life. She is 74 years old.

Seventy Perish at Sea.  
Vancouver, B. C., May 9.—The Vic-  
toria sailing schooner Triumph and  
Umbrina have been lost with all  
hands. Forty white men and thirty  
Indians made up the crews.

Memorial to Mother.  
Richmond, Ind., May 9.—Daniel G.  
Reid, a New York millionaire, has  
contracted for the erection of a church  
as a memorial to his mother. The  
edifice will cost \$100,000.

Lieut. Parker is Hurt.  
Indianapolis, Ind., May 9.—Lieut.  
Parker, U. S. A., who had been the  
guest of his sister, Mrs. Benjamin  
Harrison, was struck by a street car  
and seriously injured.

KILLS MAN IN CHICKEN YARD  
Owner Awakened by Alarm and Finds  
Ex-Convict After Chickens.

Columbus, O., May 9.—E. A. McCal-  
lin, a wholesale produce dealer, shot  
and killed James Brady, an ex-con-  
vict, whom McCallin caught in his  
chicken yard. McCallin had an elec-  
tric alarm connected with the chick-  
en-house and was awakened by the  
bell when Brady entered the place.  
McCallin and his son went after the  
intruder, who was shot when he at-  
tempted to escape. McCallin and his  
son were arrested, but released when  
the coroner returned a verdict of jus-  
tifiable homicide.

B'IRTH ABRAHAM CONVENTION  
Seven Hundred Delegates Present at  
Eighteenth Annual Meeting.

New York, May 9.—The eighteenth  
annual convention of the Independent  
Order of B'irith Abraham was held  
here Sunday. More than 700 dele-  
gates, representing 71,157 members,  
were present. According to the re-  
port of the grand secretary, Jacob  
Schoen, the capital of the 353 lodges  
established in the United States ag-  
gregates \$30,688; reserve fund, \$160,  
325; sick benefit fund, \$5,588. Over  
900 members of the order have been  
enrolled during the last year.

PARROT FEASTS ON DIAMONDS  
Bird Has Banquet of Society Wom-  
an's Valuable Jewels.

Des Moines, Iowa, May 9.—Din-  
monds valued at \$1,000 made a feast  
for Polly, a parrot belonging to Mrs.  
H. Holland, a wealthy society woman  
of Des Moines. Mrs. Holland was  
cleaning her jewels and the bird was  
intently watching the work. Leaving  
the room for a few minutes, she re-  
turned to find her ornaments, finger ring  
and brooch minus their diamonds and  
in the mouth of the bird a \$200 stone  
which she swallowed.

GLASSWORKS PLANT IS RUINED  
One Hundred Employees Are Idle as  
Result of Fire.

Williamsport, Pa., May 8.—A tele-  
phone message from Connersport, Pot-  
ter county, states that fire of unknown  
origin occurred in the Bastow Glass  
works, manufacturers of decorated  
glass tableware, and that the plant is  
practically destroyed. The loss will  
be from \$50,000 to \$75,000, but the  
insurance is not known. One hun-  
dred hands are thrown out of employ-  
ment.

Death Due to Bedford Mystery.  
Indianapolis, Ind., May 9.—Broken  
in health through worry over the fail-  
ure of an investigating committee, of  
which he was a member, to solve the  
mystery of the murder of Miss Sarah  
Schafer, the Bedford schoolteacher,  
Olin Bundy, an attorney of Bedford,  
Ind., died here in a private sanitarium.

Joker Stirs Postal Clerks.  
Washington, May 9.—Assistant Post-  
master General Wynne, who has  
charge of all postal clerks, says no  
order has been issued by the depart-  
ment giving preference to postal  
clerks with large families. He says  
some one is poking fun at the pres-  
ident.

Operators Must Answer.  
Topeka, Kan., May 9.—The supreme  
court upheld the decision in the coal  
trust cases, so-called, of District Judge  
Razen, who sentenced two coal opera-  
tors for contempt of court for refusing

TO CROWN A FEAST OR FILL A DINNER PAIL.  
**NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT**  
In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

## Choice of Fifty Tailored Suits at \$12!

This is the opportunity which usually comes in August. How-  
ever, explanations are unnecessary; suffice to say that from  
a line of fifty or more new, nobby Suits, every one of this  
season's manufacture, you can make a selection at twelve  
dollars and a half. As you will probably take a trip this  
summer, you might as well prepare in advance, then when  
you visit the St. Louis Exposition or any other point you will  
have the right thing. Many of the desirable fancy mixtures  
are in the line, also the plain colors—navy, brown and black.  
Certainly great bargains at such a price—\$12! Alterations  
are free.

## COVERT COATS

The season's favorite; a number of styles, but all good ones.  
This ad. refers to such tailored Coats as were \$9,  
\$10, \$12 which are now on sale at choice for one price, \$7!  
Also have plenty of the lower priced Coats at \$5 and up, but  
the ones above are the best of their kind and you can take  
your choice now at \$7 1-2.

**Simpson**  
DRY GOODS

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VICE ADMIRAL KAMIMURA, SECOND IN COMMAND OF THE  
JAPANESE YELLOW SEA FLEET.

to answer questions in an investiga-  
tion of an alleged coal combine.

## WIT AND WISDOM.

Do you ever feel all run down and  
can't wind yourself up?

Love, like a dynamite fuse, is often  
most lucky when it fails to work.

It is astonishing how much rest  
people with nothing to do seem to  
need.

Always keep an energetic "Buttons"  
around, your friends may need a mes-  
senger.

Matches made in heaven don't al-  
ways strike and light the right way  
here on earth.

Always keep a well-stored "speak  
easy" on the premises, your friends  
may become thirsty.

Always provide a family couch with  
plenty of down pillows, your friends  
may drop in feeling so tired.

Always be sure to pay the check  
when the other fellow invites you to  
"partake." He will invite you again.

Always keep a telephone in good  
working order in every corner of your  
home—it is so convenient for your  
friends.

If you have a telegraph booth or  
any other old thing on hand the very  
sight of it will inspire your friends to  
fairly ache to exercise it.—Kate Thy-  
son Murr.

Aged Tar Gets Prize Wick.  
W. Jennings of Hampton Wick, Eng-  
land, lately received from the admiralty  
his prize money for services ren-  
dered while a second-class boy on his  
majesty's ship Archer, one of the Bal-  
tic fleet, in assisting to capture sev-  
eral Russian warships in 1854. The  
recipient, who is a general dealer, had  
forgotten all about his money, and the  
receipt greatly surprised him.

Water Cures Ailing Cats.  
In the south of Ireland, near Inch-  
geelath, is the "Cats' Well," the wa-  
ters of which are supposed to exert



## THE JANESVILLE GAZETTE.

Entered at the postoffice at Janesville, Wis., as second class mail matter.

**TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION**  
Daily Edition—By Carrier  
One Year ..... \$4.00  
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Six Months, cash in advance ..... \$2.50  
Three Months, cash in advance ..... \$1.25  
Daily Edition—By Mail  
CASH IN ADVANCE.  
One Year ..... \$4.00  
One Month ..... \$1.00  
One Year—Rural delivery in Rock Co. 2.00  
Six Months—Rural delivery in Rock Co. 1.50  
Three Months—Rural delivery in Rock Co. 1.00  
Long Distance Telephone, No. 77  
Business Office ..... 77-3  
Editorial Rooms ..... 77-3



It is better to know a few things about advertising that are true than a great things that are not true. Here is one thing that is true and worth remembering: Store advertising should be as full of prices as a society new column is full of names.

## A BOYCOTT ON THE BLIND.

The State of California maintains in the city of Oakland, just across the bay from San Francisco, an industrial home for the adult blind. There, seventy men and women deprived of their sight live and earn a little money by making brooms. Their affliction reduces their productive capacity by about 50 per cent., and it would not be supposed that the output of their industry would constitute a serious menace even to the labor unions. Inconsiderable as is, however, it has aroused the labor leaders of the State, and they have declared a boycott upon the home and its manufacturers, to drive them from the market. In this situation the inmates of the home have issued a statement in which they set forth their condition. They say:

"Compelled by indigence or idleness we sought admission to the home as the only place where the blind could learn a handicraft and earn their clothing and comforts. Those who see can form no conception of the blessings of work to the blind. Without it we who live in darkness have nothing to divert us from the sadness and sorrows of our situation. With work we have happiness. Without work we have sadness and misery for our companions."

"By the sale of the brooms the inmates of the home obtain their sole income. Working at their trade is their 'greatest happiness,' and when the boycott was declared, the blind broom makers appealed to the unions for mercy. Little of this quality did they find in the unions."

"An appeal to them to be merciful to the blind has been made, but is unheeded. Retail dealers, under penalty of a general boycott on their business, do not dare buy the blind man's brooms, and now the same cold hearted policy is closing our wholesale trade against us. Nearly all of us were laboring people when blindness fell upon us, and many of us were labor union men. We cannot now belong to a union. We are a community by ourselves, joined in bonds of a common misfortune."

The inmates of the home do not ask charity; they want only a fraction of 1 per cent. of the total number of brooms consumed in the state, they want to sell on the open market; that is all, and that is denied them. They say:

"The purpose of a labor union is declared to be humane. If this be so, our misfortune should make us first among the objects of that humanity. But instead of this we are treated by our brothers who see as if our blindness had outlawed us from human sympathy and set us among the beasts that perish."

"Can it be that in these latter days the blind, stricken and forlorn, are to be punished by men as if their infirmity were a crime?"

The right to see the products of their industry implies more than a means of earning money to the blind. Productive activity means for them relief from awful imprisonment, "it is manhood and womanhood; health and happiness." It means harm to no person, injury to no industry, unhappiness to no one. The broom manufacturers of the country, the employers of labor, heartless and grasping as the labor unionists paint them, have not demanded the withdrawal of the blind broom makers' products from the market. They would not dare, nor have they the power to enforce or the will to inspire such a demand. It remained for the labor leaders to conceive and execute so wicked a plan.

The blind men and women appeal to Californians to buy and insist upon receiving home made brooms until the boycott is broken. If the Californians have the average portion of red blood and love of fair play, they will be enthusiastic to take up so honorable a crusade and carry it to success.

But in the meantime there is no legal power to protect the business men of the state against a huge conspiracy to rule or ruin them? Must they submit to conduct their affairs to suit the ideas of an unincorporated secret society with no legal standing, or else retire from business? If the Masonic fraternity formally attempted to drive a Roman Catholic tradesman from business, conspiring to ruin him, would the law afford him no protection? Would

the Odd Fellows be permitted to dictate what goods a merchant should sell, and what he should not?

The inhumanity of the boycott against the blind is patent, and the time is not far distant when the criminals who institute such conspiracies will be brought to a short stop before the bar of justice.

New York Sun.  
The comments of the Sun are timely. A boycott of any kind is a price of lawlessness, but a boycott against the blind is damnable. If organized labor in California countenances this sort of highland villainy it is time that public sentiment took the matter in hand.

## AS AN EDUCATOR.

The following communication is going the rounds of the press, and while it may be considered as semi-advertising it is worth reading, because it is true, and the sentiment expressed has the ring of common sense.

The author, Teddy Hamilton is authority on wild animals. He has traveled extensively in the interests of Barnum & Bailey, and he appreciates the fact that when the "Greatest Show on Earth" presents to American people the opportunity to study natural history at short range, that the management is entitled to respectful hearing.

The modern circus and menagerie is an educator, and this fact is generally appreciated. If the Barnum & Bailey people should decide to visit Janesville this season they will be cordially received.

To the Editor:  
Sir: I submit some brief statements:

Mr. Bailey has brought the great Barnum & Bailey circus back to America, impelled by a restless patriotism that forbade his depriving American citizens any longer of the great national educator.

He brings with him all the world's wonders—lions, giraffes that die so easily, marvellous acrobats, strange monkeys that make us worry about our ancestors, animals that defy the laws of nature, contortionists that defy the laws of anatomy.

Everything that everybody ever heard of is either defied or magnified in some part of this extraordinary exhibition.

I want to say that any parent who fails to take a child to the circus once a year neglects his duty.

Every father is anxious to put before his child the good books in which are gathered together the wonders of literature and of science.

If he feels that his children are entitled to know the wonders in the books of men, how can he refuse to show them the wonders in the books of nature?

The great circus is an interesting library—all the marvels bound up in the gigantic show.

The child develops in accordance with the stimulus which is imagination receives in early life.

Why does the bare-footed country boy come to town and win, all the prizes? Because he lives close to nature all the time; and when a circus comes, if he can't buy a ticket, he crawls under the tent.

No child develops properly in the way of imagination unless he has impressed upon his mind the wonders of creation, the marvels of physical achievement, the power of the mind to dominate ferocious animal life.

Any man who has seen the thousands of childish faces light up, who has heard the eager questions, who knows how the circus stimulates the study of natural history and of geography will agree with me that it is a crime against childhood to deprive the small boys and girls of the great and educating excitement.

Which of us does not regret the fact that he can never see the giants of the carboniferous period, the huge mammoth, the Ichthyosaurus, the sabre-toothed tiger, the woolly rhinoceros?

The marvels of the circus are just as great, and they will have disappeared in a few years, when the tooting locomotive shall have driven the last lioness from her den, when the last giraffe shall have coughed out his life in our tent, and the laughing hyena shall have become a tearful memory.

"Don't cheat your children out of educational opportunity. Take them to the circus. Yours very truly,  
TODDY HAMILTON"

## SENATOR SPOONER'S LETTER.

Senator Spooner's letter, endorsing Senator Quarles for reelection, is timely although it would have been effective, had it been sent out six weeks ago, in advance of caucuses and conventions.

The silence of representatives at Washington during the pre-convention campaign, has been construed as indifference, and it has proved a constant handicap to the cause of conservative republicanism.

The same policy was pursued two years ago, and in spite of defeat at the state convention, nothing but persistent work on the part of Senator Spooner's friends, saved him from defeat. Whether Senator Quarles can be retained, remains to be seen. If the administration forces control the legislature, there will be no hope for him.

What Wisconsin has long needed is a few men at Washington like Quay of Pennsylvania, and the late Senator Hanna of Ohio. Men who possess the disposition to sacrifice congressional dignity in the interests of the men who place and retain them in office, and who are willing to come to the rescue when the interests of the state are imperiled.

Senator Spooner is a great statesman, and the county appreciated his valuable services, but he represents a state that is just now under the control of demagogues, and in the throes of financial reform.

The men who are no the ground

appreciate this fact keenly, and the republican party is humiliated. The congressman can well afford to take an interest in the situation.

The Independent Match Company, located at Duluth, and capitalized for \$1,000,000 is making it lively for the trust. The Independent Co. sells 700 matches for a nickel, while the trust sells only 500. Dealers are able to make a good profit on the former, while the latter are sold close.

While the corporations are being slaughtered, the game is running at large without a protector, and yet the state is paying \$85,000 a year for services.

Work on the Beet Sugar Special is progressing, and the paper will be issued about the 25th of May. An effort will be made to have every business in the city represented. It will be the best advertisement for Janesville, ever sent out.

The Methodist Conference at Los Angeles is still discussing. Better leave it to the individual, and save annoyance.

If every state charges \$21,000 for examining Life Insurance Companies how long will it take to drive them out of business.

## PRESS COMMENT.

Superior Telegram: Poor Lyman J. Gage! All chance for further political preferment has gone glimmering. He has been unanimously elected an honorary member of John D. Rockefeller Jr.'s Bible class.

Oshkosh Northwestern: At the same time those Mormons of Utah have one advantage—they can solve the servant girl problem by making her one of the family.

Milwaukee Germania: Offers of mediation between the Stalwarts and Half Breeds meet with exactly the same reception as offers of mediation between the Russians and the Japanese.

Baltimore American: In Utah marriage is as much of a popular pastime as divorcing is in Sioux Falls, S. D.

Whitewater Register: A slum looking citizen from a northern county was asked at Milwaukee a few days since how his county was going politically. "Oh the fair minded Democrats and weak minded Republicans have got it sold," he replied.

El Paso Herald: There are folks whose ideals of the American sailor, professional hero and safeguard of the nation will be jarred by the news that Johnny Jackin eats about 300.00 pounds of plug tobacco per year.

Philadelphia North American: The theory of the New York education board's committee that women teachers destroy the manliness of boy pupils suggests the possibility that we all made a mistake in having women for mothers.

Chicago Record-Herald: Henry James says race suicide is the most encouraging sign of the times, as it promises greater happiness for humanity. Henry needn't apply for second place on the ticket.

Cincinnati Commercial Tribune: Once upon a time while bathing in the briny waters at Long branch David Bennett Hill lost his false molars. Possibly this accounts for the closed lips of his friend, Judge Parker.

Chicago Inter-Ocean: David R. Francis is opening something or other for the World's Fair every day now, and the one thing that helps him to bear up under the strain is the hope that there may be an opening in the democratic convention in June in which he shall be personally interested.

Madison Democrat: Mr. Cooke picks up delegates here and there with such ease that running alone he is making quite a remarkable campaign. Supported by either organization it can be readily believed that he would sweep the field.

La Crosse Chronicle: At any rate the suits brought by Mr. Host who convict him if guilty, and will exonerate him if innocent. It is presumable that the commissioner will manage to retain his liberty and his job. He is the last half-breed who should be ousted, if we interpret his conduct aright.

Chicago Tribune: A New Yorker writing from St. Louis to the New York Sun, calls the historical exhibit at the world's fair "pitiable." He says there is nothing of Napoleon and nothing of Jefferson. What did he expect to find in the Pike? Let him go and look at the fair.

Minneapolis Journal: Roberts is another one of those pious old Mormons who violate what they admit to be the law of God and the state for conscious sake. How remarkably sensitive it makes a man's conscience to have three or four wives!

Philadelphia North American: A Parisian mistake says that Paris makes the gowns, but the women of America furnish the figure. In this country it is generally believed that the American papa or husband furnishes the figure for those gowns.

Chicago Chronicle: The sort of intelligence that blindly follows the leadership of the Bryans, Tom Johnsons and other mother Carey's chickens of revolution is illustrated in the person of a Johnstone who is now pushing a wheelbarrow from Cleveland to San Francisco because his idol failed of election as governor of Ohio last fall.

Some men are born great, some achieve greatness and some remain little to the end.

Washington Star: "De man dat puts in de mos' time lookin' foh trouble," said Uncle Eben, "si ginerally de one dat has de leas' idea of what to do about it when he fin's it."

Oshkosh Northwestern: The members of Dr. Dowle's Zion colony have been forbidden to attend the St. Louis fair on account of the alleged wickedness there. This ought to prove the best kind of advertisement for the exposition.

Racine News: Six witnesses who had been summoned to the Smoot investigation have disappeared and cannot be found. It is surmised that they had a revelation directing them to take to the woods.

Shot Went Home (Washington Correspondence New York Times).  
"The quickest shot I ever heard in the way of reparation," said Congressman Babcock of Wisconsin in a group of men who were talking of the Cockran-Dalzell boat, "occurred when 'Bill' Price who for several years was a member of the House, was a state senator in the Wisconsin legislature."

"Price was a devoted Philanthropist and always made one long speech each session on his favorite theme. One day in the middle of one of these speeches he was interrupted by a Shoberyan senator, a brewer from up the Shoberyan way, named Schneider. 'I want to ask the senator a question,' said Schneider. 'I want to ask him if he knows the difference between sauerkraut and whisky?'"

"Yes Sir, retorted Price as quick as a flash. One makes Dutch democratic senators and the other kills them."

"Schneider did not dare speak to Price the remainder of the session."

PREPARING FOR BIG WHITEWATER MEET  
Janesville High School Athletes Will Measure Prowess with Many Rivals Saturday.

High school students throughout the southern part of the state are looking forward to the big field and track meet to be held at Whitewater next Saturday. All schools in the territory outside of Milwaukee will be represented and the meet is next in importance to the annual interscholastic at Madison. All contestants are required to make a certain record before they can compete. Thus far Myers of Janesville has qualified in the 100 yd., 200 yd. dashes, and quarter mile; Davis in the 100 yard dash and quarter; Green and Fisher in the mile; Tracey and Smith in the half, Tallman in the high hurdles, Lee and Finerty in the shot put and Carlo in the hammer and discus throw. There will be a tryout in several of the other events this week in which some of the new material is expected to make a showing. Among the stars at the meet will be Mack of Evansville, Asphall of Fort Atkinson, and Hesselup of Whitewater. Beloit is reported to have a man who is hurling the discus 104 feet. Twenty-seven high schools have entered the northeast Wisconsin interscholastic track and field meet, which is also to be held next Saturday in Appleton, under the direction of the Lawrence University Athletic association.

## POKERDOM.

There are more than four "knaves" to the pack in some games.

In big hands, as with big guns, you want to look out for the recoil.

In second-class company don't gamble much on first-class hands.

The main objection to poker seems to be that it is so often played for fun instead of for fun.

The moral motto, "Deal as you would be dealt by," is classed as the "joker" in a poker pack.

Will some scientific authority kindly explain the anomalous fact that in a game of draw freeze outs and hot spells go hand in hand?

It is awfully bad form, you know, to let the loss of a few chips make you look as cross as if you thought you were getting the double one.

It may be good advice to "bet your hand for all it's worth," but it is a mighty dangerous thing to bet for it all or more than you are worth.

Novice asks which is the right way to cut the cards. Our experience teaches us, my boy, that the right way, and at the same time the only safe one, is to cut them precisely as does a gilded hog a shabby acquaintance.—Charles Stowe in New York Herald.

## ALL TRUE.

Be good and you'll be happy—and probably poor.

Culpability is about the only ability some men possess.

There is plenty of room at the top for the hair tonic manufacturer.

When a man gets the matrimonial fever he catches it from some woman.

No matter how bad a thing is you should be thankful that it isn't worse.

Perhaps some people are descended from monkeys, while others merely dress differently.

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It was probably some married man who first discovered that troubles never come singly.

Few men can be intensely interested in anything without letting their neighbors know it.

A woman never doubts what her husband says when he gets home late. She knows he is lying.

Watch It Grow.

Dollars produce dollars here. The "plant" is bearing fruit. If you're wise, you'll plant your dollar where it will be most productive. Start an account with a small amount with this bank, and you'll be surprised how soon you'll be reaping the fruit. It is a reliable institution your money will be securely placed, safe and sound.

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"Professor Wilson informs his students that he has this day been appointed honorary physician to the queen."

In the course of the morning he had occasion to leave the room, and found on his return that a student had added to the announcement the words:

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### ROCK COUNTY SENDS SOLID CONSERVATIVE DELEGATION.

### ALL THREE DISTRICTS MET

Delegation Chosen Without Any Trouble—The Entire List of Men Are Against La Follette.

T. S. Nolan called the republican state delegate convention for the county to order shortly after two o'clock this afternoon. After the call had been read the proxies were called for and examined by members of the county committee. Assistant Secretary Bernard Palmer read the names of the delegates from the various towns and villages, specifying the proxies held. The town of Rock was not represented. Senator Whitehead moved that the roll as read be adopted.

#### 1st District Convention

The first assembly district convention was called in the court room by T. S. Nolan. P. M. Green of Milton was chairman. M. L. Paulson of Evansville was made secretary. The chair appointed a committee of five to recommend a list of delegates. The committee consisted of F. W. Coon, William Boyd, S. C. Carr, Dr. R. H. Stetson, and John Fuller. The eleven delegates chosen were: W. T. Boyd of Evansville; M. L. Paulson of Evansville; P. M. Green of Milton; S. C. Carr of Milton Junction; John Fuller of Evansville; William Holsen of Janesville; N. M. Gleason of Lima; Thomas House of Fulton; J. B. Humphrey of Rock; E. C. Hopkins of Edgerton, and F. C. Coon of Edgerton.

#### Second District

The second assembly district convention was called in the circuit court chambers by W. A. Jackson. Robert Moore of Bradford was made chairman and E. D. McGowan was made secretary. The nine delegates chosen were: S. Severill, John Thoroughgood, M. G. Jeffris, A. H. Sheldon, Orville Morse, T. W. Golden, T. S. Nolan, W. A. Jackson, Janesville; W. L. Crandall of Milton.

#### Third District

The third assembly district convention was called in the county clerk's office by Bernard Palmer. George H. Ingerson of Beloit was made chairman and M. L. Northrup of Beloit, secretary. The twelve delegates chosen were: John Huntley of Bradford, B. C. Hanson of Beloit, Charles Egan of Orford, C. G. Hico, O. B. Rogers, Clinton; F. J. Barker, Clinton; and W. O. Hanson, R. P. Eldred, E. P. Salmon, H. Cleophas, E. Lipman and J. C. McEvoy, all of Beloit.

After the separate conventions had been held the delegates from all three were again called together and by a formal vote the delegates named by the districts were ratified as the choice of the entire county. The delegates go to the convention untroubled. They are solidly anti-La Follette.

#### CURRENT NEWS NOTES

**Sunday School Meet:** The Rock county Sunday school convention will be held at Lima Center, Saturday and Sunday, May 28th and 29th.

**Attention W. R. C.:** The regular meeting Tuesday, May 10th, at 2:30 p. m. is desired to have a full attendance.

**Cheap Rates:** Three specials with 2,000 excursionists to St. Paul went through Sunday and six specials Sunday night with hundreds more passed through here last night over the C. & N. W. Ry. on account of the cheap rate of \$3 for round trip Chicago to St. Paul.

**Concordia to Dance:** The Concordia Singing society and friends to whom invitations have been issued will enjoy a musicale and dance at the new Foresters' hall in Assembly block this evening. A delightful time is anticipated.

**Brothers As Strangers:** Two brothers, Thomas Doty of Minneapolis and C. W. Doty of La Crosse, journeyed to Janesville, Saturday morning on the same car without either being aware of the other's presence until the conductor called the station. C. W. Doty is a conductor on the Burlington and boarded the train at Edgerton. His brother, who is landlord of a hotel in Minneapolis, had instructed the trainman to arouse him when Janesville was reached and the mention of his name was the first intimation that Conductor Doty had of his presence in the car. The two men came here to attend the funeral of their father, Henry Doty.

**Millard Ide On Pike's Peak:** Relatives in this city have received a letter from Millard Ide, who left here last week for the west. On Thursday last he was making snowballs on Pike's Peak. He expects to be in Salt Lake City within the next week.

**Telephone Wires Crossed:** Several men were busily engaged this morning in the vicinity of Washington street repairing crossed wires, caused by Sunday's severe wind storm.

**Many Attended Meet:** Twenty Janesville teachers attended the spring meeting of the County Teachers' association in Edgerton on Saturday.

**Backed Into Doorway:** A horse becoming frightened at a passing car on Milwaukee street Saturday evening backed the rig to which it was hitched into the doorway of McCue's drugstore and caused considerable excitement on the thoroughfare for a short time. No damage resulted.

**After Creamery Mary Gane Ward:** A draft-hound secured evidence which may lead to the arrest of a creamery proprietor at Indian Ford on the charge of netting fish.

**Y. M. C. A. Meet Tonight:** Music. Instrumental Junior class. Drill, Horse, Duck. Vocal solo. Class drill. Seniors. Quartette. Horse. Intermediate & Seniors. Quartette. Paraded bars. All Classes. Music. Instrumental. Tumbling. Horizontal bar. Seniors. Pyramids. Seniors.

#### LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Florence Camp, No. 366, M. W. A. at West Side Odd Fellows' hall.  
Badger Council No. 223, Royal Arcanum, at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.  
Janesville Lodge, No. 55, F. & A. M., at Masonic hall.  
Machinists' union at Assembly hall.  
Journymen Tailors' union at Assembly hall.  
Boot & Shoemakers' union at Assembly hall.

#### FUTURE EVENTS

Gymnasium exhibition at the Y. M. C. A. building, Monday, May 9.  
Columbia Opera Co. appears in Janesville three evenings, commencing Monday, May 9, in a repertoire of operas including "Dorothy," "The Mikado," "Giroto-Giroffa," Wednesday matinee, "The Chimes of Normandy."  
Formal opening of the New Myers hotel with ball and banquet, Thursday evening, May 12.

#### THE WEATHER

Temperature last 24 hours taken from U. S. registered thermometer at Helmstreet's drugstore: highest, 62 above; lowest, 40 above; ther. at 7 a. m., 45; at 3 p. m., 62; wind, from the east; sunshine.

#### BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Strawberry plants cheap, 105 Cornelia. For spring wall paper and Patton's sun proof paints "Talk to Lowell." Bargain in wall paper at Skelly's. Electric flash lights and range lights at Bicknell's.

Tonight the gym exhibition at Y. M. C. A. is there.  
Shurtleff's ice cream delivered any place in city. Allie Razook, new phone 639, old phone 4334.

Photograph studios will be closed on Sundays until October 1st.

Say, now don't miss it? That gym exhibition at Y. M. C. A. tonight. Supply your household wants in carpets, window shades, rugs, matting and linoleums from our carpet department and you will save money. T. P. Burns.

You manifest true economy in the purchase of any of our ladies' tailor-made suits, jackets and separate skirts, at the low prices we offer them. T. P. Burns.  
Miller's "Best Milwaukee Beer." Order a case from W. C. Hart, both phones No. 3.

All members are requested to be present at the regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth league of Central M. E. church at 7:30 to night. Important business is to be transacted.

#### Solidly Stalwart

After the separate conventions had been held the delegates from all three were again called together and by a formal vote the delegates named by the districts were ratified as the choice of the entire county. The delegates go to the convention untroubled. They are solidly anti-La Follette.

#### Rev. Tippet Conducted Funeral Services for the Late Henry Doty Yesterday Afternoon.

Funeral services over the remains of the late Henry W. Doty were held Sunday afternoon at two o'clock from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer F. Mahne, 121 North Academy street. Rev. Tippet conducted the services and the interment was at Oak Hill cemetery. The pallbearers were George A. H. Charles, W. H. Thomas, Maloy, Charles Rauch, and Leonard Woolley, all members of the Bricklayers' and Plasterers' union of this city.

**Francis Connors**, eleven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Connors of Lincoln street, died of diphtheria at eight o'clock last evening. The little fellow had been ill but a short time with the malignant disease. On account of the character of the disease private funeral services were held this morning.

**Mrs. Frank E. Dixon**. After a brief illness Mrs. Frank E. Dixon passed quietly away at her home, No. 6 Chestnut street, shortly after five o'clock Sunday morning, leaving a husband and a little four-year-old daughter to travel the balance of life's journey alone. The circumstances of her death were unusually sad and the news of her passing shocked to her many friends in the city. The funeral services will be held at her late home at two o'clock and at the First Congregational church at half-past two, Friday afternoon, May 10. The burial will take place at Oak Hill cemetery.

**Richard Ainley**. Funeral services over the remains of the late Richard Ainley were held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Trinity church, Rev. J. A. M. Richey officiating. The services were attended by a large number of sympathizing friends and relatives of the deceased. The interment was at Oak Hill cemetery.

**Mrs. R. A. Matheson**. Funeral services for the late Mrs. R. A. Matheson, whose death occurred Saturday, May 7, were held this morning at 11 o'clock from Oak Hill chapel, Rev. J. A. M. Richey, pastor of Trinity church, officiating. The interment was in Oak Hill cemetery. Those who attended the funeral from out of the city were Mrs. and Miss Burlington, a sister of the deceased, from Shullsburg.

#### FRIENDS SURPRISE

**MR. & MRS. PETERSON**

At Their High Street Home Saturday Evening on Occasion of Their 25th Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Peterson were pleasantly surprised at their South High street home on Saturday evening by about fifty of their friends dropping in upon them, the occasion being the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. The evening was spent in cards and dancing. Baldwin & Reifeld's orchestra furnishing the music for the dancers. The guests presented their host and hostess with many beautiful gifts as a reminder of the occasion.

## CARNEGIE GIVES A RARE VOLUME

### PUBLIC LIBRARY ENRICHED BY FINE GIFT.

### WORK IS BY GROTIUS

Edition de Luxe of the Famous Book. The Review and Introduction by David J. Hill.

Andrew Carnegie has presented the Janesville city library with a reprint of a volume, a rare work of much interest and value, "The Rights of War and Peace or The Law of Nature and Nations, the Campbell translations of 1844. Andrew D. White, United States ambassador to Germany, in speaking of the book, said, "My mature conviction is that of all books not claiming divine inspiration it was done most to promote mercy and peace and to prevent suffering among mankind."

Dr. David Jayne Hill, former first assistant secretary of state, and now minister to Switzerland, in a review of the book says: "It is one of the most notable works of genius which, among the labors of centuries, stand forth as illustrations of human progress and constitute the precious heritage of the human race. It is not literature in the technical sense, the masterpiece of Grotius is something higher and nobler—a triumph of intelligence over irrational impulses and barbarous propensities. Its publication marks an era in the history of nations, for out of the chaos of lawless and unreasoning strife it created a system of illuminating principles to light the way of sovereigns and people in the paths of peace and general concord."

#### Bond of Human Mind

Amid the general wreck of institutions, Grotius sought for light and guidance in great principles. Looking about him at the general havoc which war had made, the nations hostile, the faith of ages shattered, the passions of men destroying the commonwealths which nourished them, he saw that Europe possessed but one common bond, one vestige of its former unity—the human mind. To this he made appeal, and upon its deepest convictions he sought to plant the law of nations. It is indeed, to the pacific genius of Grotius more than to all other causes that the world owes the origin of his great work; for it sprang from his dominant thought, ever brooding on the horrors of war and the ways of peace, during more than twenty years, and never wholly satisfied till his full expression was completed.

**Concerning the Volume**  
The paper has been manufactured especially for this edition. It is a rough-finished, deckle-edge, clean lined Dickinson Bangalore, and each page bears the private watermark of the publisher. The type was hand set, and is particularly clear to the eye. The beauty of the press work is apparent even to the uninitiated. The photographic illustrations are printed on French-Japanese vellum, and are specimens of the height of excellence to which the photographic process has reached today. The binding is artistic and durable.

#### SEVEN SPECIALS GO THROUGH THIS CITY

Fully Six Thousand People Take Advantage of the Cut Rates to St. Paul From Chicago.

This morning at the Chicago & North-Western depot a prominent railroad official said that in Chicago yesterday nearly 6,000 round trip tickets from Chicago to St. Paul were sold at \$3 by the Chicago & North-Western and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad companies. All the ticket purchasers departed on trains leaving Chicago yesterday, though they will be given until May 25 to return. Not in the history of the North-Western road have the city ticket offices of the railway been jammed as they were yesterday. People crowded the offices and stood ten deep around the counters.

The return part of all the \$3 tickets must be stamped by an agent of the railway at St. Paul or Minneapolis before they will be honored for a return passage. Seven special trains passed through this city yesterday en route to St. Paul, besides the regular trains. Saturday telegrams were sent to all points where any passenger coaches were to be had with orders to send them to Chicago to accommodate the crowds.

#### LOWELL'S

### Special Prices

10c Olives ..... 5c  
10c Catsup ..... 5c  
10c Jellies ..... 5c  
10c Beets ..... 5c  
10c Lobsters ..... 5c  
10c Beans ..... 5c  
15c Preserves ..... 5c

Club House Brand Sliced Pineapples... 10c  
Whole Peaches... 10c

Pomona Brand Orange Marmalade 10c

Heinz Chow Chow ..... 12 1/2c  
Imported Marashino Cherries... 18c

**LOWELL**

Meat Department.

## OPEN MEETING OF ROYAL ARCANUM

Will Be Held at East Side Odd Fellows' Hall Tuesday Night—Mr. Green to Lecture.

The Royal Arcanum lodge will hold an open meeting for members and invited friends at East Side Odd Fellows' hall tomorrow evening. There will be a musical program that promises to be of unusual interest and Mr. Green of Pittsburgh who has appeared here on a former occasion and is one of the acknowledged authorities on fraternal work will deliver a lecture.

#### NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Charles H. Smith and daughter, Ora, visited with relatives in Brookhead yesterday.

Mrs. T. L. Mason has returned from Grand Rapids, Wis., where she was called to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Morrick.

Frank L. Smith of Chicago spent Sunday in the city.

Harold Bogardus of Chicago spent Sunday in the city.

Miss Louise Merrill visited in Madison yesterday.

Mrs. Philip Owheller left yesterday for a visit with friends in Kalamazoo, Mich.

H. H. Jackson returned this morning after spending Sunday in Chicago with friends.

Percy S. Bonesteel transacted business in Chicago today.

Miss Mary Snyder of Rockford visited with her parents in Janesville yesterday.

Jonathan Ellis of Fort Dover, Canada, who is heavily interested in the local woolen mills, is visiting in the city.

James Brown of Rockford was a Janesville visitor yesterday.

Thomas Westlake of Edgerton spent Sunday in Janesville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clifton have returned from a few days' visit in Chicago with relatives and friends.

#### VINCENT HOTEL WILL BE REBUILT AT KOSHKONONG

Owner Places His Total Loss in the Neighborhood of \$13,500.

Landlord Al Vincent, proprietor of the Vincent hotel at Lake Koshkonong which was burned to the ground last week was in the city Saturday and stated to friends that he placed his total loss at \$13,500, the greater part of this loss being on the contents. The hotel was located on "meandered" or reclaimed land. The owner expects to rebuild.

## FAIR STORE.

### Bargains for This Week SECOND FLOOR

Men's Summer Suits, \$4, \$5, \$5.50, \$6.50, 7.50 & \$9.

Boys' All Wool Suits, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.25, \$4.

Boys' Short Pants, 25, 35, 45 & 50c.

Boys' Mother's Friend Waists, 25c each.

Men's Working Shirts, 25, 30 & 40c.

The Prices on above lines are all cut away down below Fair Store Prices.

#### REMNANTS

3-yd. Shirt Waist Patterns, all colors, and washable goods; also Remnants in Skirt Waist Suitings.

Ladies' Walking Skirts, \$1.10 to \$5.

Dress Buttons, all colors, 1 card, 2 Doz. for 10c.

## FAIR STORE

### NEW GOLD

Made by Seward, Forest City Minn.

You'll find no other patent flour so good.

**\$1.25 per sack**

Phone Us Your Order for a sack We deliver to any part of city

**P. Rudolph & Sons**

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## HOME MADE Pressed Corned Beef

The best that is made in town.

**12 1-2c per lb.**

**Lowell**

Meat Department.

## LOCAL SCHOOLS MAY USE RIFLES

Possibility That Military Training Could Become a Part of the School Work.

Students of the Janesville schools with those of larger cities of the state may possibly be able to form companies for military drill and equip the organizations with rifles from the United States government stores. This will be brought about through a bill reported to congress at the late session providing for the issuing of obsolete ordnance and ordnance stores for the use of state and territorial educational institutions. The committee recommending this measure aimed to supply the larger city schools, but is nothing to prevent smaller cities from securing the same privileges. Senator J. V. Quarles of Wisconsin was a member of the committee and is responsible for the statement that Milwaukee and other Wisconsin cities may be given the equipment. There is much favor for the bill and it is expected to carry at the next session of congress in which event no time would be lost by schools in taking advantage of its provisions. Military instruction would prove a valuable addition to the school training of the youth of the city and state and Janesville would likely seek to be in on it.

#### Drawing Exhibit

Miss Lizzie Patterson of the Jefferson school hung up a fine exhibit of the drawings of her pupils at that building on Friday and talent shown by the scholars was much appreciated by the many parents who took advantage of the invitation to inspect the pictures.

#### Real Estate Transfers

S. C. Smith to W. H. Whitte \$1600

pt ne 1/4 of sec 1, 27 Milton.

Brazilio F. Kinyon & wife to Alva

Woolston \$400.00 lot 17-1 Original

plat Clinton.

Anna H. & Thomas Driver to Margie

Poland \$1012.00 pt ne 1/4 of sec 1

Fulton.

Beloit State bank to A. D. Leming-

well \$100.00 lot 14-2 Mechanics' Add

Beloit.

B. D. Allen to Fred S. Richardson

\$150.00 lot 63 Tenney's Add Beloit.

A. B. Lemingwell & wife to David

Colby \$300.00 lot 14-2 Mechanics' Add

Beloit.

A. B. Lemingwell to Caroline Leming-

well \$100.00 lot 137 Hackett's Add

Beloit.

#### The Real Comforter.

To be a real comforter a person must have profound sympathies; but profound sympathies are always in association with keen sensibilities and keen sensibilities expose their possessor to a depth of anguish utterly unintelligible to ordinary souls.

#### ROSE BUSHES,

10c each

Cabbage Plants 10c Doz.

Tomato Plants 1 25c Doz.

Large and sturdy

Verbena Plants 40c Doz.

Martha Washingtons 40c

Large and strong

Asa Gray 20c

Geraniums 15c

Cheap and Good.

#### SWEET ORANGES

Everybody wants them @

18c Doz.

Pineapples 15c

White Cloud Flour

\$1.30

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**DEDRICK BROS.**

**A Lowell**

**Special**

**56**

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**Tea Set**

**\$3.15**

**Tuesday and Wed-**

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## LEFT JANESVILLE SOME WEEKS AGO

Floyd Crawford & Co., Who Had Offices in Jackson Block, Have Suspended.

Dispatches from Chicago this afternoon announce the fact that Floyd Crawford & Co., who had a branch office in the Jackson block in this city until recently, have announced their failure on the Chicago board of trade this morning. They were also members of the New York Consolidated exchange and the Milwaukee board. Their failure is traced directly to the suspension of Woodland & Co. of New York. It is not reported as being a bad suspension and the firm may later resume operations.

#### Gilt Edge Teeth

All this week. Tailman block, Dr. Burrus.

#### GOOD ASPARAGUS WEATHER

Our man cut 180 bunches on Saturday and over 100 bunches today. Similar cuts are reported by all the growers. This increased supply has dropped our selling price this morning to 8c for the large home-grown bunches.

Strawberries, very fine today and easier in price at 18c for the qt. baskets.

Home-grown rhubarb and green onions now plentiful at 3c lb. and 2 1/2c bunch for onions.

Elegant pineapples, 15c each. Large purchase of fine canned tomatoes at 6 1/2c each.

Fancy new potatoes, 45c pk.

#### Meat Specials

Best goods and lowest prices include the whole line.

Our own cure corn beef, 8 to 10c lb.; rump pieces, 12 1/2c lb.

Veal roasts, 8 to 10c lb.</



# Filigree Ball

By ANNA KATHARINE GREEN,

Author of "The Mystery of Agatha Webb," "Lost Men's Lane," Etc.

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## CHAPTER V.

The captain cut short his questions and in another moment I understood why. A gentleman was standing in the doorway, whose face, once seen, was enough to stop the words on any man's lips. Miss Tuttle saw this gentleman almost as quickly as we did and sank with an involuntary moan to her knees.

It was Francis Jeffrey come to look upon his dead bride. Breathlessly we awaited his first words. His eye, which was fixed on the prostrate body of his bride, did not yield up its secret. When he moved and came to where she lay and caught his first sight of the ribbon and the pistol attached to it, the most experienced among us were baffled as to the nature of his feelings and thoughts. One thing alone was patent to all. He had no wish to touch this woman whom he had so lately sworn to cherish. His eyes devoured her, he shuddered and strove several times to speak, and, though kneeling by her side, he did not reach forth his hand nor did he let a tear fall on the appealing features so pathetically turned upward as if to meet his look.

Suddenly he leaped to his feet. "Must she stay here?" he demanded, looking about for the person most in authority.

The captain answered by a question: "How do you account for her being here at all? What explanation have you, as her husband, to give for this strange suicide of your wife?"

For reply, Mr. Jeffrey, who was an exceptionally handsome man, drew forth a small slip of crumpled paper, which he immediately handed over to the speaker.

"Let her own words explain," said he. "I found this scrap of writing in our upstairs room when I returned home tonight. She must have written it just before—before—"

A smothered groan filled up the break, but it did not come from his lips, which were fixed and set, but from those of the woman who crouched among us. Did he catch this expression of sorrow from one of those presences he as yet had given no token of recognizing? He did not seem to. His eye was on the captain, who was slowly reading, by the light of a lantern held in a detective's hand, the almost illegible words which Mr. Jeffrey had just said were his wife's last communication.

Will they seem as pathetic to the eye as they did to the ear in that room of awesome memories and present death?

I find that I do not love you as I thought I did. I cannot live, knowing this to be so. I pray God that you may forgive me.

A gasp from the figure in the corner; then silence. We were glad to hear the captain's voice again.

"A woman's heart is a great mystery," he remarked, with a short glance at Mr. Jeffrey.

It was a sentiment we could all echo, for he to whom she had alluded in these few lines as one she could not love was a man whom most women would consider the embodiment of all that was admirable and attractive.

That one woman so regarded him was apparent to all. If ever the heart spoke in a human face it spoke in that of Miss Tuttle as she watched her sister's husband struggling for composure above the prostrate form of her who put a few hours previous had been the envy of all the fashionable young women in Washington. I found it hard to fix my attention on the next question, interesting and valuable as every small detail was likely to prove in case my theory of this crime should ever come to be looked on as the true one.

"How came you to search here for the wife who had written you this vague and far from satisfactory farewell? I see no hint in these lines of the place where she intended to take her life."

"No! No!" Even this strong man shrank from this idea and showed a very natural recoil as his glances flew about the ill omened room and finally rested on the fireside over which so repellent a mystery hung in impenetrable shadow. "She said nothing of her intentions; nothing! But the man who came for me told me where she was to be found. He was waiting at the door of my house. He had been on a search for me up and down the town. We met on the stoop."

The captain accepted this explanation without cavil. I was glad he did. But to me the affair showed inconsistencies which I secretly felt it to be my especial duty to unravel.

## CLEANLY WOMAN.

Erroneously Thinks by Scouring Her Scalp That She Cures Dandruff.

Cleanly woman has an erroneous idea that by scouring the scalp, which removes the dandruff scales, she is curing the dandruff. She may wash her scalp every day, and yet have dandruff her life long, and yet have dandruff her life long. The only way in the world to cure dandruff is to kill the dandruff germ, and there is no hair preparation that will do that but Newbro's Herpicide. Herpicide by killing the dandruff germ, leaves the hair free to grow as healthy Nature intended. Destroy the cause you remove the effect. Kill the dandruff germ with Herpicide. Send for leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

People's Drug Co. and King's Pharmacy, Special Agents.

NO further opportunity was afforded me that night for studying the three leading characters in the remarkable drama I saw unfolding before me. A task was assigned me by the captain which took me from the house, and I missed the next scene—the arrival of the coroner. But I repaid myself for this loss in a way I thought justified by the importance of my own theory and the evident necessity there was of collecting each and every point of evidence which could give coloring to the charge. In the event of this crime coming to be looked on at headquarters as one of murder.

Observing that a light was still burning in Uncle David's domicile, I crossed to his door and rang the bell. I was answered by the deep and prolonged howl of a dog, soon cut short by his master's amiable greeting. This latter was a surprise to me. I had heard so often of Mr. Moore's churlishness as a host that I had expected some rebuff. But I encountered no such tokens of hostility. His brow was smooth and his smile cheerfully condescending. Indeed, he appeared anxious to have me enter, and cast an indignant look at Ridge, whose irrepressible joy at this break in the monotony of his existence was tinged with a very evident dread of offending his master. Interested anew, I followed this man of contradictory impulses into the room toward which he led me.

The time has now come for a more careful description of this peculiar man. Mr. Moore was tall and of that refined appearance of shape which suggests the scholar. Yet he had not the scholar's eye. On the contrary, his regard was quick, if not alert, and while it did not convey actual malice or ill will it roused in the spectator an uncomfortable feeling not altogether easy to analyze. He wore his iron gray locks quite long, and to this distinguishing idiosyncrasy, as well as to his invariable custom of taking his dog with him wherever he went, was due the interest always shown in him by streeturchins. On account of his whimsicalities he had acquired the epithet of Uncle David among them, despite his aristocratic connections and his gentlemanlike bearing. His clothes formed no exception to the general air

The detective visits Uncle David



of individuality which marked him. They were of different cut from those of other men, and in this as in many other ways he was a law to himself; notably so in the following instance: He kept one day of the year religiously, and kept it always in the same way. Long years before he had been blessed with a wife who both understood and loved him. He had never forgotten this fact, and once a year, presumably on the anniversary of her death, it was his custom to go to the cemetery where she lay and to spend the whole day under the shadow of the stone he had raised to her memory. No matter what the weather, no matter what the condition of his own health, he was always to be seen in this spot, at the hour of 7, leaning against the shaft on which the name of his wife was written, eating his supper in the company of his dog.

So much for one oddity which may stand as a sample of many others.

One glance at the room into which he ushered me showed why he cherished so marked a dislike for visitors. It was bare to the point of discomfort, and had it not been for a certain quaintness in the shape of the few articles to be seen there I should have experienced a decided feeling of repulsion, so pronounced was the contrast between this poverty stricken interior and the polished bearing of its owner. He, I am sure, could have shown no more elevated manners if he had been doing the honors of a palace. The organ, with the marks of home construction upon it, was the only object visible which spoke of luxury or even comfort.

But enough of these possibly uninteresting details. I did not dwell on them myself except in a vague way and while waiting for him to open the conversation. This he did as soon as he saw that I had no intention of speaking first.

"And did you find any one in the old house?" he asked.

Keeping him well under my eye, I replied with intentional brusqueness: "She has gone there once too often!"

The stare he gave me was that of an actor who feels that some expression of surprise is expected from him.

"She?" he repeated. "Whom can you possibly mean by she?"

The surprise I expressed at this bold attempt at incongruousness was better simulated than his. I hope.

"You don't know?" I exclaimed. "Can you live directly opposite a place of such remarkable associations and not interest yourself in who goes in and out of its deserted doors?"

"I don't sit in my front window," he peevishly returned.

"I let my eye roam toward a chair standing suspiciously near the very window he had designated. "But you saw the light?" I suggested. "I saw that from the doorstep when I went out to give Ridge his usual five minutes' breathing spell on the stoop. But you have not answered my question—when do you mean by she?" "Veronica Jeffrey," I replied. "She who was Veronica Moore. She has visited this haunted house of hers for the last time."

"Last time!" Either he could not or would not understand me. "What has happened to my niece?" he cried, rising with an energy that displaced the great dog and sent him, with hanging head and trailing tail, to his own special sleeping place under the table. "Has she run upon a ghost in those dismal apartments? You interest me greatly. I did not think she would ever leave the place to visit this house again after what happened at her wedding."

"She has had the pluck," I assured him, "and, what is more, she has had enough of it not only to re-enter the house, but to re-enter it alone. At least, such is the present inference. Had you been blessed with more curiosity and

Uncle David hears of his niece's death



made more frequent use of the chair so conveniently placed for viewing the opposite house, you might have been in a position to correct this inference. It would help the police materially to know positively that she had no companion in her fatal visit."

"Fatal?" he repeated, running his finger inside his necktie, which suddenly seemed to have grown too tight for comfort. "Can it be that my niece has been frightened to death in that old place? You alarm me."

He did not look alarmed, but then he was not of an impressive nature. Yet he was of the same human clay as the rest of us, and, if he knew no more of this occurrence than he tried to make out, could not be altogether impervious to what I had to say next.

"You have a right to be alarmed," I assented. "She was not frightened to death, yet is she lying dead on the library floor." Then, with a glance at the windows about me, I added lightly, "I take it that a pistol shot delivered over there could not be heard in this room."

He sank rather melodramatically into his seat, yet his face and form did not lose that sudden assumption of dignity which I had observed in him ever since my entrance into the house. "I am overwhelmed by this news," he remarked. "She has shot herself? Why?"

"I did not say that she had shot herself," I carefully repeated. "Yet the facts point that way and Mr. Jeffrey accepts the suicide theory without question."

"Ah, Mr. Jeffrey is there?"

"Most certainly; he was sent for at once."

"And Miss Tuttle? She came with him of course?"

"She came, but not with him. She is very fond of her sister."

(To Be Continued)

Clinton Wilcox of Chicago was a Janesville visitor yesterday.

LODGE CALENDAR.

Masonic. Western Star Lodge, No. 14, F. and A.

M. 1st and 3rd Tuesday. Janesville Lodge, No. 53, F. and A. M. 2nd and 4th Monday. Janesville Chapter, No. 5, M. A. M. 1st and 3rd Thursday. Janesville Commandery, No. 3, K. T. 2nd and 4th Thursday. Janesville Chapter, No. 69, O. E. S. 2nd and 4th Wednesday. I. O. O. F. Wisconsin Lodge, No. 14.—Every Wednesday. Janesville City Lodge, No. 90.—Every Tuesday. Rock River Encampment, No. 8.—1st and 3rd Friday. Canton Janesville, No. 9, Patriarchs Militant.—2nd and 4th Friday. America Lodge, No. 25, D. of H. 2nd and 4th Saturday. Social and Benefit Club.—1st Thursday. Janesville Lodge, No. 171, D. of H. 2nd and 4th Thursday. Catholic Knights of Wisconsin. Branch, No. 66.—1st Sunday.

Elks. Janesville Lodge, No. 254.—Every week day.

G. A. R. W. H. Sargent Post, No. 20.—2nd and 4th Friday.

W. H. Sargent Corps, No. 21, W. M. C. U.—Every Alternate Tuesday.

Hibernians. Division, No. 1.—2nd Sunday.

Knights of the Globe. Janesville Garrison, No. 19.—2nd and 4th Tuesday.

Knights of the Maccabees. Rock River Tent, No. 61.—1st and 3rd Monday.

Rock River Live, No. 71, Ladies of the Maccabees.—1st and 3rd Monday.

Oriental Lodge, No. 23.—Meets every Friday.

Modern Woodmen of America. Florence Camp No. 361.—2nd and 4th Monday. Crystal Camp, No. 132.—2nd and 4th Wednesday.

National Union. Janesville Council, No. 228.—1st Wednesday.

United Workmen. Fraternal Reserve Association meets first and third Thursday at Good Templars' hall.

Oliver Lodge, No. 27, Degree of Honor. 1st and 3rd Wednesday.

Laurel Lodge, No. 2, Degree of Honor. 1st and 3rd Thursday.

Badger Council, No. 229, Royal Arcanum.—2nd and 4th Monday.

Independent Order of Foresters.—4th Monday.

Myrtle Workers of the World.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.

Omega Council, No. 214, Royal League. 1st and 3rd Tuesday.

Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters. 2nd and 4th Tuesday.

Boys.—2nd and 4th Tuesday.

Colony, No. 2, R. M. F. F.—4th Tuesday.

# CATARRH A COMMON COMPLAINT.

Catarrh begins with a stubborn cold in the head, inflammation or soreness of the membrane or lining of the nose, discharge of mucus matter, headaches, neuralgia and difficult breathing, and even in this early stage is almost intolerable. But when the filthy secretions begin to drop back into the throat and stomach, and the blood becomes polluted and the system contaminated by the catarrhal poison, then the sufferer begins to realize what a disgusting and sickening disease Catarrh is. It attacks the kidneys and stomach as well as other parts of the body. It is a constitutional disease and as inhaling mixtures, salves, ointments, etc., are never more than palliative or helpful, even in the beginning of Catarrh, what can you expect from such treatment when it becomes chronic and the whole system affected? Only such a remedy as S. S. S. can reach this obstinate, deep-seated disease and purge the blood of the catarrhal poison. S. S. S. purifies and builds up the diseased blood, and the inflamed membranes are healed and the excessive secretion of mucus ceases when new, rich blood is coming to the diseased parts, and a permanent cure is the result.

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Janet's Union.—1st and 3rd Thursday.

Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers' Union.—1st and 3rd Friday.

Bricklayer & Masons' Union, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen.—1st and 3rd Saturday.

International Association of Railway Clerks meets first Thursday in Belmont and third Tuesday in Janesville.

Interior Freight Handlers and Warehouse Men's International Union No. 27 meets first and third Wednesday.

Carpenters' Union.—1st and 3rd Friday.

Women's Union Label League.—2nd and 4th Friday.

Stone Cutters' Association of Wells America.—3rd Friday.

Leather Workers. Brewers' Union.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.

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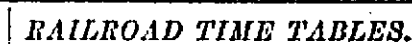
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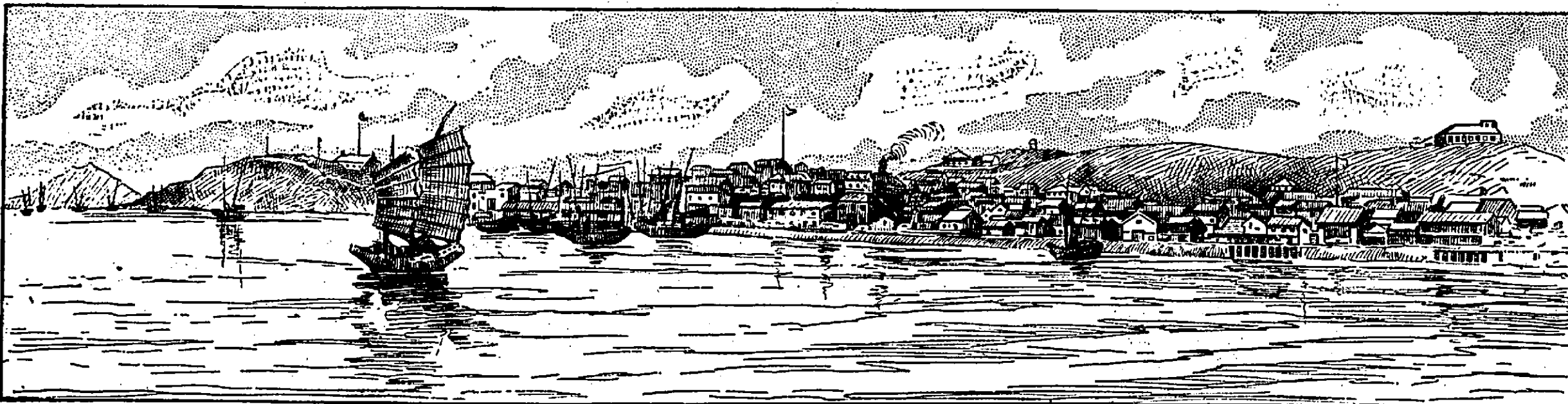
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## Method's Of Horse Trainers

### How Unfit Thoroughbreds Are Put In Racing Condition—Painful Treatment For "Splints" and Other Equine Blem- ishes—As to "Nerving."

"Young racers are certainly made to go the pace that kills" in these days of strenuous competition.

This remark was made by a trainer, one of the most prominent men in the development of speed in thoroughbreds in the United States. A reporter asked him to give his views and some of his experiences in training and patching up race horses after the wear and tear of a hard season had made them physical wrecks. He consented to do so, but refused to allow his name to be used. Just why he would not consent to the use of his name will be obvious to every person who reads the story, particularly that part which relates to the operation known as "nerving" a horse.

"Thoroughbreds can travel any distance," he continued in reply to a query for the cause of the many ailments

is not the long journeys nor the hard work that ruins and kills a race horse. It is the speed. In this respect he is like a locomotive. It is the terrific pace that ruins the finer mechanism in both.

"The present method of breeding thousands of thoroughbreds every year has much to do with the early breakdown of our race horses. The aim of the breeder is to secure speed, and as the two-year-old events are the most valuable stakes on the turf horsemen naturally are anxious to secure these rich plums. They will not wait until the youngsters have grown and developed in bone and muscle as nature intended they should, but force them in a manner nothing short of inhuman methods—to secure their full strength in half the time that nature intended.

"No man knows the trouble and work a trainer has to prepare a horse for a contest," he continued. "The racegoers visit the track and find a dozen or more horses prepared to fairly fly around the course, and they are ready to cheer their favorite and his jockey should they pass the winning post in front. This is the spectacular part of racing. But there is another side which means work hour in and hour out every day of the year. This is the trainer's part. He is the man behind the gun.

"During the summer months little or nothing is done to a horse save the actual training to perfect his physical condition. There is only one thought in the trainer's mind, to bring out the utmost speed that his horse possesses. If a splint develops or lameness shows or osslets begin to form or curly hock shows itself, a trainer does not seek a cure, but applies treatment that will allay the trouble and stop the pain

The horse that is to be doctored for splint is treated in this way:

"A splint usually appears on the fore legs of a horse, between the ankle and the knee. It forms on the bone, usually on the inside of the leg. It raises a lump and sticks out like a burnicle on a ship or a knot on a tree. The best method to cure a splint is with the firing iron. This means the application of a red-hot iron similar to a straight poker. The end of the iron is kept in the fire until it is white with heat.

"The splint is usually 'punch fired'—i. e., the firing iron is applied to the splint in various parts and around it by the application of the end of the instrument. The method is like jabbing a needle into a wart. While punch firing the iron is kept hot by electricity; and it is jabbed on the splint until it is covered with the points made by the instrument.

"The horse's head is checked up high, and a twitch is put on his upper lip.

"A twitch is made of a short broom handle, and a piece of stout twine about five inches long, which forms a loop, runs through the end of it. This cord is twisted about the upper lip by simply turning the broom handle. Two twists will control a horse's head so that he is willing to stand any other pain. When the twitch is ready, the good front leg is lifted and strapped by one of the stable hands and held. The horse is thus practically helpless and is ready for the operation.

"The iron is made red hot by a coal fire. The operator takes the iron and applies the end of it to the flesh just below the knee. Then he draws it slowly down the leg, searing it in a straight mark. The horse is wild with pain, but a twist on the broom handle causes the twitch to tighten, and he must bear it. Again the iron is applied, and it is slowly moved down the leg to the ankle. The second strip of fire is about an eighth of an inch from the first one. This operation is repeated around the leg until it is a mass of inflamed stripes an eighth of an inch apart. By heat the tendons are drawn into shape and place, and the leg becomes strong and tight.

"Navicular disease is the name given to lameness in the foot, which comes from an injury to the nerves in the hoof. This injury is usually produced by a wrench or sudden strain caused by stepping in a hole and throwing the weight of the body suddenly on one leg. It cannot be treated locally.

There is only one cure for navicular disease, and that is to nerve the horse. "Whenever a man nerves a horse he commits a felony and is liable to go to state prison. There is a law against it, and very few reputable trainers or surgeons perform it. It is in vogue, however, among the so-called outlandish trainers and unscrupulous horsemen who care not a jot for the law or lives of their horses, but seek only the financial results. When a trainer of a reputable stable finds he has a horse that has navicular disease he either retires him to the stud or disposes of him at auction or private sale.

"It is then that the outlaw horsemen crop up. They are in search of a fast horse, no matter if he is lame. They are ready to nerve him and do so.

"It is necessary to chloroform the horse to perform the operation, which is the cutting off of about three inches of the nerve between the ankle and the knee.

"As soon as the horse returns to con-

sciousness he shows no ill effects of the operation, but walks away without the slightest trouble. There is no feeling in the leg operated upon, however, and for a time he moves it in an awkward fashion. From the time the nerve is clipped until the horse breathes his last that particular leg is dead and void of all feeling.

"Horsemen have to be very careful about a horse that is nerved. The slightest cut on the operated leg means death to the horse. There is no possible chance to heal up such a cut, and blood poisoning develops, and the horse dies from the effects of it.

"These diseases—that I have mentioned come under the trainer's care. There are others, of course, which the horse is heir to, but when they are afflicted with them the veterinary surgeon is called in to apply the remedy."

**The Automobile Club of America.**  
A waiting list with forty names for membership of the Automobile Club of America calls attention to the fact that the club's limit to 400 active members should be increased. Active members in the Paris and London clubs number in the thousands.

**"Demont" Is In Shape.**  
Gene Demontreville is doing very fast work with the St. Louis Browns, and it looks as though the little ex-Boston National second baseman was getting back into condition.

**Portugal Is Illiterate.**  
Portugal is the most illiterate country in Europe; nearly 68 per cent of her population can not write. In Italy the proportion of illiterates is 53 per cent; in Russia, 36 per cent; in Spain, 2 per cent, and in Britain, not quite 4 per cent.

**TODAY'S MARKET REPORT.**  
From the Hadden, Roddey Co., 204 Jackson Block, Janesville.  
U. S. Yards Opening

G. Searcliff Resident Manager.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—	84 1/2	87 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2
July	84 1/2	87 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2
Sept.	82			
Corn—	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
July	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Sept.	47 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2
Oats—	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
July	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Sept.	35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	36 1/2
Pork—	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
July	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Sept.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Lard—	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
July	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Sept.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Beans—	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
July	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Sept.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2

**CHICAGO COTTON LOT RECEIPTS.**  
To day. Contract. Est. Tomorrow

Wheat	21	15
Corn	117	15
Oats	60	3

**NORTH-WEST RECEIPTS (Wheat).**  
To day. Contract. Est. Tomorrow

Minneapolis	111	1
Duluth	21	1
Chicago	21	1

**Live Stock Market**  
RECEIPTS TODAY

Chicago	33000	21000	2000
Kansas City	2000	2000	4000
Omaha	2000	2000	3000
Market	Steady	Steady	Steady
U. S. Yards Opening			
Mixed	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Good heavy	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Light	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Butch	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Stocks	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Receipts 34000 left over 1903			
Good to prime steers	5 00	5 00	5 00
Poor to medium	3 90	4 1/2	4 1/2
Stockers and feeders	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Holsteins	2 25	2 25	2 25
Bulls	2 25	2 25	2 25
Cows and calves	1 00	1 00	1 00
Sheep	2 00	2 00	2 00
Lamb	2 00	2 00	2 00

### Harvard's Oarsmen

Rowing at Harvard has been under way for almost two months. The work up to the present time has consisted entirely of learning the new Cornell stroke on the rowing machines. The stroke had to be rowed at a very slow rate—only ten strokes to the minute at first—and the work was very tedious. The candidates have worked faithfully, however, and the good results are already becoming apparent.

Coach Colson recently raised the stroke from ten to fifteen and since that time has steadily increased it. The men are getting to pull the stroke more easily and manage the slow recovery well, except that they have a tendency to hang badly on the catch.

The rowing outlook has not been so bright at Harvard for several years past. The new stroke promises to do all for Harvard that it has done for Cornell. Every observer agrees that it is a great improvement over the old Harvard stroke.

In addition to this, the material from which the varsity crew must be picked



CAPTAIN CLYDE G. STEVENS OF PRINCETON.

ed is unusually good. There are now about thirty men rowing on the varsity squad, all of them owners of experience, and a third of them have already won their "H." The men are a beefy set, and Coach Colson has repeatedly expressed himself as greatly pleased with the physical makeup of the candidates for the eight.

Lissa B. S. Philly.  
Lissa B. S. Philly, has foaled a filly by Bligen, 2:00 1/2.

### SECRET LANGUAGE.

The Jargon That Children Make Up to Convey Their Momentous Secrets Among Themselves.

The secret language period is a thing of child nature. There are three distinct periods in language learning by the child. The first is the acquiring of the mother tongue. The second period comes shortly after the time of beginning to learn the mother tongue, and is a language made up by children who, perhaps, find themselves unable to master the mother tongue. Very few children have a complete language of this kind, but all children have a few words of such. Then comes the secret language period. Although in a very few cases the learning of secret languages began about the sixth year, and in some instances the period ran till after the eighteenth year, yet the vast majority of cases are covered by the period between the eighth and the fifteenth year, while the greatest use is between the tenth and the thirteenth year.

There are many reasons why children learn and use these languages. One lady confesses that she originated a language, and introduced it into a mysterious set of ten, in order to write notes in school; and she truly adds that had their teachers discovered the key, they would have learned many truths.

It can never be known whether these languages originated in the very first cases with children. The names would in many instances imply that children had to do with them, as they show things familiar to the child and loved by him. So in the secret languages, we find animals playing an important part in the naming. The hog, dog, goose, pigeon, pig, fly, cat and other animals are attached to these languages. The child in the old-fashioned school, where all sat together, hearing the (to him) senseless and unknown Latin, would naturally attach the name to his language, and thus give birth to Hog Latin, Goose Latin, etc. Seeing or hearing a language, one letter may strike the child's fancy, as in one the letter L is "hash," and so Hash language is the result. In another "bub" (b) finds the funny spot in child nature, and so Bub talk comes forth. The child in former days, so frequently hearing of the a-b-c's, would, upon the construction of an alphabet language, at once recur to such, and so name this the A-Bub-Cin-Dud language.—Oscar Christman, in Century.

Only one out of every 1,000 married couples live to celebrate their golden wedding.

### Moccasins as Footwear.

The moccasin is the favorite footwear of the lumbermen of Maine, and was first made in Bangor in 1851. At first only one or two styles were made but now moccasins are manufactured in great variety, ranging from slippers for women and children—soft as kid and embroidered with beads—to the stout boots and larrigans of the Penobscot lumbermen.

## J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

### Hodge's Fibre Carpet..

These fibre carpets or matting, are new in Janesville, but have been sold in the larger cities and through

the Eastern States for several years, so that their durability is a known quantity. They give satisfaction. They are smooth finish, made in beautiful carpet patterns, fancy colorings. We have taken the Janesville agency and are showing a large assortment of the yard goods; also three qualities of Hodge's Rugs: Kaba, Fibre, and Fibrette.

Hodge's Rugs and Carpets are very artistic and really high class floor coverings at moderate prices. Carpets are 40c, 50c, 60c. Rugs, \$1.00 for 18x36, \$12 for 9x12 feet, and several sizes and prices between.

### Cotton Warp Matting.

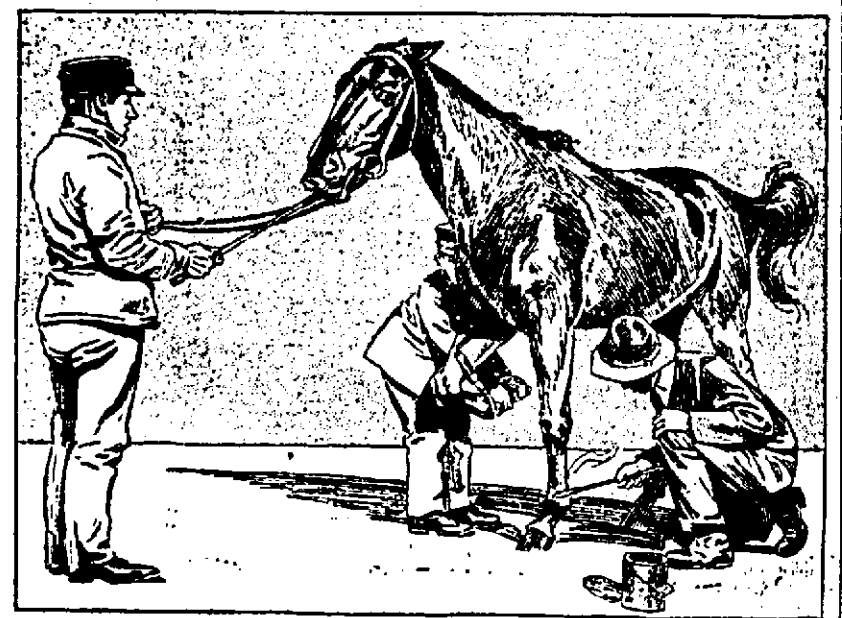
A beautiful line of these in carpet patterns; some are alike both sides, others are plain on one side, other side printed. Prices, 25c, 30c, 35c.

### Straw Mattings,

colored and plain, at 12 1-2c, 15c, 18c, 20c.

People moving into rented houses find Mattings excellent for bed rooms, dining rooms, &c. Or for summer wear in bed rooms of any home, or for summer cottages they are inexpensive and cool looking.

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A TRAINER AND HIS ASSISTANTS "FIRING" A HORSE WITH A "SPLINT."

to which horses are heir to, "it allowed to go at their own pace, and they would be without a flaw in wind and limb if they were not asked to go at top speed. It is the pace that ruins and kills them. Just imagine, during certain periods they race at a speed which exceeds that of an express train. It is this terrific strain that is directly responsible for their many ills and ailments. I have known many race horses to become first class work horses after they were patched up and too old to earn their living on the tracks. It

temporarily. "He cannot afford to throw the horse out of training, for the racing season is short, and the time means money.

"As soon as the racing season ends in the fall, however, a trainer looks over his stable for those horses that are in need of patching up. One horse has a splint, another an osslet, while a third is suffering from navicular disease, the last being the most dangerous. He has now the time to effect a cure on each or at least apply the remedy which he believes will bring about this result.